

Victoria and vicinity—Fresh west to northwest winds, mostly fair and rather cold.
Vancouver and vicinity—Moderate to fresh winds; shifting to northerly, mostly fair today, becoming colder with snow.

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GOLDEN GATE INQUIRIES INTO BRIDGE DEATHS

State and Three Other Investigations Follow Scaffold Collapse Which Killed Ten

Rescued Man And Others Tell Story

Associated Press
San Francisco, Feb. 18.—Four investigations were launched today into the 200-foot death plunge of ten Golden Gate bridge workers from a collapsing scaffold. Inquiries are being carried out by the bridge builders, the State Industrial Accident Commission, San Francisco County and officials of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District, which financed the world's longest suspension span.

State officials said the scaffold had twice been declared unsafe. Bridge builders asserted it never had been.

The ten-ton moveable structure, suspended on wheels beneath the giant span, fell yesterday when a wheel slipped from a girder on which it ran, tilting the scaffolding into its fatal plunge.

TORN AWAY NET

It crashed into a safety net, strung under the 4,200-foot suspension span, tore out a whole section of the net and plunged into the water. Several victims were tangled into the costly rope net, built to save them if they fell while working.

Only one body had been recovered today, the other nine presumably were tangled in wreckage or carried far away by swift tides which sweep in and out of the harbor entrance. Two men working on the scaffolding were rescued from the water by boats.

VICTIMS LISTED

Officials of the Pacific Bridge Co., who expect to complete the \$35,000,000 structure in May, listed the following as victims of the only major construction accident so far:
Gustave Dumitrescu, whose body was recovered; W. W. Bass, Chris Anderson, Charles Lindros, E. Hillep, T. Hallinan, Jack Norman, Noel Flowers, C. A. Anderson and O. Dester.

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Mrs. Simpson May Not Marry

Canadian Press from Havas
Paris, Feb. 18.—Le Matin reported today that Mrs. Wallace Simpson has no intention of marrying the Duke of Windsor.

"Persons in close touch with Mrs. Simpson affirm she has no intention of remarrying," Le Matin said. "She is said to have repeated this many times to friends. Mrs. Simpson's financial situation is such as to permit her to wait some time before making a decision."

New Onslaughts As Madrid Fight Sways

Insurgent Gains Reported as Spanish Civil War Enters Eighth Month; Capital Is Bombed

By the Associated Press
Insurgent victories dotted the Spanish war map today as Generalissimo Francisco Franco's men were hurled against government troops in mass offensives southeast of Madrid and a triple air attack left many dead and wounded in Madrid streets.

While the civil war raged with renewed intensity as it entered its eighth month, Portugal remains aloof from non-intervention efforts in London, again refusing to join twenty-six nations in a plan to stop foreign help from reaching Spain.

In France, however, President Albert Lebrun signed a decree prohibiting Frenchmen from joining either side in the war. The general ban on foreign volunteers was to be effective Saturday midnight.

MADRID FIGHTING

Severe fighting was concentrated in the siege of Madrid. Insurgents re-

Front in Spanish War Changes



With the insurgents battling to advance east from Malaga, recently captured, and staging daily attacks in the Madrid region, the above map, roughly blocked in, gives an impression of how Spain at present is divided between loyalist and insurgent control.

EACH DOMINION TO DECIDE OWN DEFENCE PLANS

Australia Adds To Defences

Dominion Co-operates As Britain Rushes Re-armament, Says Premier

Canberra, Feb. 18.—Prime Minister Joseph A. Lyons, commenting today on the defence debate in the British House of Commons, said the new programme "must be regarded as insurance against war and as a definite contribution to world peace."

"While Australia's defence bill is the highest per capita of the Dominions," Mr. Lyons added, "We realize that for the system of imperial defence to be effective there must be close co-operation and Australia, so far as she is able, is prepared to co-operate."

The Melbourne Argus said no expenditure was too great to preserve national security. "A strong Britain is almost a guarantee of world peace," the paper commented.

IN SOUTH AFRICA

Cape Town, Feb. 18. (Canadian Press).—South African opinion on Britain's defence plans is generally that the mammoth scheme is justified.

FRANCO READY TO POLICE MADRID

Canadian Press from Havas
Hendaye, on the Franco-Spanish frontier, Feb. 18.—General Francisco Franco is so certain his forces will occupy Madrid shortly that he already has mobilized a "police army" of 9,000 to insure public order as soon as the capital falls, it was learned today.

As head of this emergency force, Governor-General Valdes Cabanilla would enjoy almost unlimited powers, it was understood. He would be assisted by Colonel Pedro Romero Vazquez, who was General Jose Moez's chief of staff during the historic defence of the Toledo fortress, the Alcazar.

As Members at Ottawa Debate Canada's Arms Increases, Baldwin Makes Plain in London Britain Dealing Only With Its Own Expenditures

Ottawa, Feb. 18.—National defence returned to the centre of the stage in the House of Commons today after an absence of a day while private members' resolutions had precedence. The House resumed debate on C. Grant MacNeill's (C.C.F., North Vancouver) want-of-confidence motion on the defence issues with no signs of an early vote.

A long list of speakers on the books of the party whips this afternoon indicated the debate will continue most of Friday and perhaps into next week. So far there has been little out-and-out opposition to the government's proposed enlargement of the military, naval and air services outside of the C.C.F. and Social Credit groups, but many Liberal members have taken advantage of the opportunity to put their views on record.

FOR DOMINION DECISION

London, Feb. 18.—Defence expenditures in the Dominions are entirely a matter for the Dominion governments themselves, Prime Minister Baldwin told the House of Commons today.

Geoffrey Mander, Liberal, asked for a statement concerning proposals that the government lay before the Imperial Conference next May suggestions that a greater share in the cost of imperial defence be borne by the Dominions.

"While welcoming the opportunity afforded by the Imperial Conference for discussion of defence and other problems," said Mr. Baldwin, "I may remind the honorable gentleman that the defence expenditure of the Dominions is entirely a matter for the Dominion governments."

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GAS TAX IS NEW INSURANCE PLAN

Olympia, Wash., Feb. 18.—A measure taxing gasoline one additional cent a gallon to finance a state automobile accident insurance fund has been introduced by Senators Keble Murphy, Spokane, and H. I. Kyle, King County.

They say the purpose of the act is to "provide immediate and certain relief to all persons injured by motor vehicles, and to provide immediate medical attention and hospitalization."

WEST COAST MILLS START

Big Timber Development Work at Bishop Bay and Nitinat Now Under Way

Major activity in the timber industry on the west coast of the island, at Nitinat and at Bishop Bay, on the northeast corner of Nootka Island, was reported by R. W. Hibberson of Ryan Hibberson Timber Co. Ltd. today.

Financed by a British syndicate which he heads, George F. Whalen, who started development in pulp mill work at Swanson Bay as well as Quatsino and Port Angeles mills some years ago, has purchased seventy square miles of timber at Kyquoot and is putting up a sawmill, equipped with a Swedish gang for small cutting at Bishop Bay.

Big timber will be sent to New Westminster for cutting and export at the old Brunette Mills, purchased by the syndicate.

The syndicate has also taken an option on timber lands which may extend their holdings to 200 square miles, as well as forty-five square miles on Nootka Island, held at present by the Ryan-Hibberson firm.

At present seventy men are working on the mill at Nootka, with about 200 men in the camps cutting logs. At present the cut is limited to timber needed for the mill. Eventually about 500 men will be employed. The mill which will be known as the Nootka Wood Products Ltd., is expected to be in operation in another three months.

At Nitinat, Charles Sorenson, Victoria, formerly at Port Renfrew, has taken over 100,000,000 feet of timber as a start and will have most of his business done locally. Cutting which has been delayed by heavy snow, is expected to start in another six weeks.

The Nitinat holdings, sold by Wisconsin interests, were bought through and cruised by the Ryan-Hibberson firm.

The Nootka holdings cruised by the same firm, were purchased from the Bank of Montreal, it was understood.

The Sorenson cut at Nitinat will be the first in that part of the country since the war.

SALMON TRAPS ADVOCATED

Commons Committee Told Non-renewal Would Be Blow to Sooke Industry

Ottawa, Feb. 18.—If fish trap licenses were not renewed for British Columbia waters, the Sooke Harbor Fishing and Packing Company would go out of business, C. P. Goodrich, company president, told the Commons committee on marine and fisheries today. Mr. Goodrich is from Victoria.

If traps were removed, it was difficult to say what proportion of the fish now caught in traps on the Canadian side would then be caught on the United States side, as insufficient data was available, he said.

DUTY OF FISHERMEN

J. R. MacNicol, Conservative, Toronto-Davenport, suggested it was the "patriotic duty" of British Columbia fishermen to get as large a share of the salmon run as possible on the Canadian side, before the run went into American waters. He said he could not understand why the government of British Columbia had not "insisted" on more Canadian traps being operated.

Mr. Goodrich said his company had offered two Victoria firms some of its trap sites, but for some reason they had not taken up the offer.

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Income Tax Relief In Manitoba Soon

Revision to Ease Levy on Smaller Earnings Proposed in Speech Opening Session of Legislature

Winnipeg, Feb. 18.—Revision of the provincial income tax schedule to relieve the burden on persons having small incomes will be effected by legislation to be introduced, it was forecast today in the speech from the Throne read at the opening of the first session of Manitoba's twentieth Legislature.

The speech, read by Lieutenant-Governor W. J. Tupper, said: "A pro-

Again President



G. H. STEVENS
who was re-elected president of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau at a meeting of the directors today. The finance committee of the bureau was named as follows: Alderman Lloyd Morgan, chairman; Alderman Stanley Okeil, Herbert Anscomb, Fred J. Crowhurst, David Leeming and Harold Hus-

LOAN TO B.C. IS \$1,000,000

Advance For Relief Announced After Pattullo Sees Dunning

Ottawa, Feb. 18.—The Dominion is making a one-year loan of \$1,000,000 to British Columbia to finance relief expenditures, it was disclosed today in an order-in-council tabled in the House of Commons by Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Finance.

The loan, made under authority of the Unemployment Relief and Assistance Act, is to cover the province's share of direct relief.

As security the Dominion is taking a British Columbia treasury bill bearing 3 per cent interest payable half-yearly.

Ottawa, Feb. 18.—On an undisclosed mission, Premier T. D. Pattullo of British Columbia and Hon. John Hart, his Minister of Finance and Industries, were in Ottawa today. Premier Pattullo conferred with Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Transport, and had an appointment with Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Finance, but none would indicate the nature of the discussions.

"We merely considered matters of general discussion on the West Coast," Mr. Howe said today. He denied the Trans-Canada Airways was involved in the conversations.

FINANCES NOT WORSE
Mr. Hart asserted the fact Mr. Pattullo was seeing the Dominion Finance Minister must not be taken as indicating the province had any awkward financial problem. "We are in good shape," he said. "Everything is going along well and the province's finances are not wobbling in any way."

Crop Insurance Scheme in U.S.

Washington, Feb. 18.—President Roosevelt recommended to Congress today adoption of a system of crop insurance to provide farmers with a buffer against disastrous crop failures.

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Measure Brought Before M.P.'s At Ottawa Bars Any Enlistments Abroad

Another Cold Snap Expected

But It Will Not Be as Severe as Last, Weather Observers Forecast

"Prospects are for something a little colder, but not much more snow is expected," said the daily weather report given out this morning at the Victoria Observatory.

After several blizzard-like snowstorms yesterday and during the night, Victorians awoke this morning to find everything covered in a mantle of white. In twenty-four hours a total of three inches of snow fell.

The minimum temperature this morning was thirty-one degrees. By noon it had risen a little higher, but was expected to plunge again in the late afternoon.

Citizens who thought spring had definitely come were disappointed, put back garden tools into their sheds for a few weeks and prepared to stoke kitchen ranges, fireplaces and furnaces once more.

NOT AS SEVERE

Indications were this morning that the coming cold snap would be gradual in its start and would not be as severe as the one recently ended.

The Sooke hills were covered with snow again this morning and snow had again fallen up-island, making travel difficult. Several times during the morning the hills were entirely blanketed out as blizzards raged.

Vancouver, Feb. 18.—Three-quarters of an inch of snow which fell in Vancouver overnight disappeared as a brilliant sun broke through grey storm clouds early today, and repair crews had restored power and telephone circuits in most areas.

B.C. Electric Railway Company line men were still working to fix their 34,000-volt line to Britannia Beach and Howe Sound points, north of Vancouver. They expected service would be resumed later today.

Clear, colder weather was in prospect, according to meteorologists.

Former May Yohe Now in Portland

Woman Identified as Mrs. J. Smuts, of Boston, Ex-Lady Hope, Assisted While on Way to Victoria

Portland, Ore., Feb. 18.—An aged woman who identified herself as the former Lady Hope, and May Yohe, famed actress of years gone by, rested at the women's division of police headquarters here today.

Capt. Joseph Keegan of the detective division said two of his officers took her from a bus after employees of the line had complained she had attempted to leap from the coach yesterday between The Dalles and Portland.

The detective quoted her as saying she was Mrs. John Smuts of Boston. MESSAGE FROM BOSTON

Capt. John Smuts, May Yohe's third husband, telegraphed the chief of police from Boston to "arrange for her welfare until further instructions." He told the police to notify H. G. Lawson of Victoria, B.C., "in the event of an emergency."

Captain Keegan said the woman was being held for investigation of her belief that gangsters had taken over the stage and were shooting traffic-officers.

May Yohe, now sixty-seven, was married to Lord Francis Hope before the turn of the century. She once wore the famous Hope Diamond, a 44-carat gem. Following a divorce several years later she was married to Capt. Bradlee Putnam Strong.

She became Captain Strong's wife after a second divorce.

"That curse business is the bunk," she told interviewers when they asked about the diamond's legend. "Everyone has his ups and downs in life; you can't blame it on a rock."

Capt. Keegan related that the woman was on her way from Boston to Victoria to see her lawyers. She had tickets to the Canadian city.

The officer said that on being shown newspaper photographs of May Yohe his men said she apparently was the same woman.

Matrons at the woman's division said she had received a number of former admirers and friends and recognized each one.

Minister of Justice Asks Commons to Pass Measure to Prevent Canadians Joining in Spanish Civil War or Any Other Hostilities in Which Dominion Not Involved

Ottawa, Feb. 18.—The Foreign Enlistment Act was introduced in the House of Commons this afternoon by Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, designed to prevent the enlistment of Canadians in foreign armies. The bill takes the place of the Foreign Enlistment Act passed by the British Parliament in 1870 and which was made applicable to Canada.

Since the civil war started in Spain the British government took steps to interpret the act of 1870 by order-in-council to prevent citizens of the United Kingdom from taking part in the Spanish war. The Canadian government decided to replace the old act by a new act better meeting Canadian conditions.

WILL IGNORE HEALTH LEVY

Restaurant Owners Say They Will Not Collect Insurance

By unanimous vote, the Victoria Restaurant Keepers' Association went on record yesterday evening as refusing to collect fees from employees for provincial health insurance on March 1, or "until the government, which is at variance with the doctors, is in accordance on some specific plan."

A copy of the resolution was sent to the Vancouver Restaurant Keepers' Association.

Allan Peckie, health insurance commission chairman, refused to make any comment today upon the resolution of the restaurant keepers.

Announcement of any change in the government's plans for starting health insurance on March 1 will be made in Victoria through the health insurance commission itself, well-informed sources said today. There was nothing said officially today either here or in Ottawa, where Hon. John Hart met Premier Pattullo.

Spectacular Fire Occurs in London

London, Feb. 18.—One of the worst fires in London in many years destroyed two factories today, causing losses estimated by fire inspectors at \$500,000.

More than 250 firemen and fifty pieces of equipment were summoned to fight the blaze, the cause of which was not determined.

The flames spread to tenements adjoining the factories, while the intense heat cracked thousands of panes of glass in nearby buildings. Several persons suffered minor injuries from falling beams and masonry.

Four Killed In Warship Blast

Los Angeles, Feb. 18.—The Los Angeles Herald and Express said today:

"Four men were killed and eleven injured in an explosion in the naval manoeuvres off San Clemente Island, according to an unconfirmed report received at Los Angeles harbor this afternoon."

The Herald and Express said the United States Hospital ship Relief, which is based at San Pedro, received a wireless message from the Wyoming asking that the battleship be met by "submarine" when she reaches San Pedro late today.

Federal Highway Control Opposed

British Columbia and Five Other Provinces Join in Protesting Section of Dominion Transport Bill

Ottawa, Feb. 18.—Six provinces united today to protest the section of the Transport Bill dealing with regulation of highway traffic, claiming such control by the federal government was unconstitutional.

Representatives of British Columbia, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, Quebec and New Brunswick told the Senate-railway committee considering the bill that such control was within provincial jurisdiction.

Hon. Gordon Sloan, Attorney-General for British Columbia, briefly declared he was in entire accord with the constitutional objections advanced by the other provinces. Mr. Sloan added he had not prepared a brief and was in Ottawa on other business.

Representing Ontario, Manitoba and Saskatchewan, G. W. Mason, Toronto, protested provisions giving the (Turn to Page 2, Col. 3)

Lumber Export Holds Up Well

January Shipments Overseas From B.C. Much Higher Than Last Year

Although snowy weather slowed up operations in the woods, the overseas export of lumber from British Columbia during January fell off only slightly from the high marks of November and December and was nearly 50 per cent greater than shipments for January of the previous two years, according to Pacific Lumber Inspection Bureau records.

January shipments overseas totaled 98,117,355 board feet against 113,279,912 feet in December. In January last year the total was 67,262,335 feet and in January, 1935, it was 64,807,354.

The United Kingdom took 78,477,220 feet; Australia 7,179,400 feet and South Africa 2,044,347, so that approximately 90 per cent of the entire overseas export went to these three Empire markets.

Defence Measures In Britain Wide

Inskip Tells Commons of Committee For Industrial Intelligence, Food and Other Plans

London, Feb. 18.—Creation of a "committee of industrial intelligence"—to aid Britain's rearmament programme by reporting on stocks of raw materials in foreign countries—was announced today by Sir Thomas Inskip, Minister for Defence Co-ordination, in the House of Commons.

Informed sources declared the committee would furnish information to be used in the purchase of armament materials abroad. Sir Thomas did not give a detailed summary of the committee's duties, however.

The defence minister also disclosed formation of another group—the joint intelligence committee—to co-ordinate defence plans of the army, navy and air force.

Sir Thomas announced formation of the committee in participating in the Commons debate on the government's defence plans.

FOOD MEASURES

"Control and ration of food supplies have been prepared," Sir Thomas further announced.

Thorough plans for coastal defences, "both at home and abroad," had been formulated, he said, in preparation for possible naval and air attacks.

Six additional plans had been worked out in the co-ordinated defence programme, the minister announced. He said they were:

1. Construction of government factories for manufacture of ammunition.
2. Distribution of food.
3. Diversion of shipping from the east to the west coast of England.
4. Organisation of sea ports.
5. Preparation of the inland transport system for possible military use.
6. Choice of routes for troop movements.

"They have all been thought out," the minister assured the House.

"There is no time—in modern war, especially when the weight of attack will be felt in the first few weeks—to make preparations which would take twelve to eighteen months to complete," Sir Thomas declared.

MAY NEED MORE FUNDS

As did Rt. Hon. Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, yesterday, Sir Thomas intimated the £1,500,000,000 estimate for the five-year defence scheme might be insufficient.

"The exact total of the expenditures in view cannot be estimated," Sir Thomas said. "You can never calculate safety on a narrow margin. This country must always be safe against a foreign foe. The task of any government worthy of the name must be making certain no foreign foe will prevail over us."

Tax Inquiry Coast-to-coast

Ottawa, Feb. 18.—Answering Premier Abernethy's protest of any discrimination against Alberta in the proposed royal commission inquiry into taxation, Prime Minister King stated today the inquiry would cover all provinces.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Harry S. Hay, optometrist, New location, 106 Campbell Bldg. E9621.

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Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, February 23, 2:45 p.m. Rev. J. Richmond Craig, "Making Waste Work." Mrs. Eliza, vocalist; Miss Wilkinson, viola, and Mrs. Barker, pianist.

Yvonne de Breigny, pianist, Wednesday, February 24, 8:30 p.m. Peggy Moore assisting. Tickets at Fletcher Bros.

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Safe Robbers Fail; Are Hunted

Canadian Press
Port Coquitlam, B.C., Feb. 18.—Police today sought safecrackers who failed last night in an attempt to break into the safe of the Brackman-Ker Milling Company in this Fraser Valley town, nine miles east of New Westminster.

It was stated, in his opinion, it was still unsafe.

The workmen were stripping away framework used in paving with concrete the roadway of the bridge, moving the scaffolding along on its wheels as the work progressed, when it fell.

Labor Opposes Big Arms Fund

British Commons Hears
A. V. Alexander Bitterly Attack Vast Increase

By GEORGE HAMBLETON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

London, Feb. 18.—Rt. Hon. A. V. Alexander, who was First Lord of the Admiralty in the second Labour government, made a bitter attack this afternoon on the government's rearmament plans.

The House of Commons, in committee, was further considering the government resolution to authorize £400,000,000 in defence loans over a period of five years. The loans are part of an arms scheme, the total five-year expenditure for which has been estimated at £1,500,000,000 (£7,000,000,000).

"The nation," Mr. Alexander charged, "is asked to pay a bill which represents the collected ineptitude and folly, in some cases the political dishonesty of the Tory government in foreign policy."

Mr. Alexander accused the government of abandoning the principle of collective security as the basis of its foreign policy and of placing its reliance on big armaments.

EFFECT ON DOMINIONS

Had the government calculated what the reaction might be in the Dominions to such a change? Mr. Alexander related how during the last few weeks he had met some influential representatives from the Dominions. One, on the other side of the Atlantic, had said to him:

"We have had some severe stock-taking in regard to collective security within the Commonwealth. If it is to be maintained, it must be based on the Foreign Secretary's resignation when the cabinet would not accept his policy, then Canada would still be in favor of collective security."

"Name" came the cry from the Conservative benches.

"But Mr. Alexander did not give the name."

London, Feb. 18.—A financial resolution authorizing the government to borrow up to £400,000,000 for its defence plan was approved by the House of Commons in committee stage tonight, ending the first stage of the Commons battle over the huge rearmament plan.

SALMON TRAPS ADVOCATED

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A trap cost from \$14,000 to \$20,000, he said.

It was not possible for the Sooke company to catch a supply in any other way to keep its cannery going, he said.

C. Grant MacNeil, C.C.F., Vancouver North, questioned whether the company could not invest in purse seine equipment, similar to that successfully used in United States waters.

Mr. MacNeil contended continuance of Canadian traps was being used as a pretext for urging restoration of traps on the Washington state side. That, he said, would mean restriction of more traps in Canadian waters, with great destruction of fish resulting.

AT MINISTER'S DISCRETION

After some discussion of trap fishing in Alaska, J. S. Taylor, C.C.F., Nanaimo, introduced the following resolution, seconded by B. M. Hill, Liberal, Charlottetown:

"In view of the evidence of exceptional conditions prevailing on the southwest coast of Vancouver Island, between Sombro Point and Beechy Head, the policy of confining in British Columbia the issue of trap net licenses to this area, which has been observed by the department since 1904, be continued at the discretion of the minister, and that it be recommended to the minister that he carefully review the then existing circumstances when determining annually whether or not licenses shall be issued in the aforesaid area."

RESOLUTION TABLED

A. W. Neill, Independent, Comox-Alberni, said several licenses had been issued in 1925. He protested against shutting off the discussion with a resolution after hearing only one side of the situation.

The resolution was tabled then until Mr. Goodrich had been cross-examined.

BUY SUPPLIES IN COMMON

Mr. Neill asked how close the union was between the Sooke Company and J. H. Todd and Sons of Victoria.

Mr. Goodrich stated they purchased supplies in common, had one joint payroll, shared the proceeds from disposal of the fish, whether canned or sold fresh. The two companies, however, were distinct entities.

This arrangement had developed from 1922, from a desire to eliminate duplication of equipment, he said.

of the unified government Madrid front command.

Ten persons were reported killed and more than seventy wounded in the Valencian district of Madrid alone as insurgent planes three times swooped down out of a moonlit sky last night.

FOREIGNERS SLAIN

In the Jarama River sector, seven foreign volunteers in the government forces were reported slain when trucks in which they were riding drove directly into insurgent lines.

Gen. Quiroga de Llano of the insurgents charged the government staged

Body Examined In Kidnap Hunt

Remains of Man at Quincy, Cal., Said to Resemble Mattson Slayer

Associated Press

Quincy, Calif., Feb. 18.—A startling resemblance to descriptions of the Mattson kidnapper was revealed today when a United States federal agent examined the heavy beard from the face of a man whose frozen body was found in a freight car here.

The agent, who identified himself as H. A. Smith of the San Francisco office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, declined to comment on the resemblance.

Speakers in the office of Coroner John F. Moody declared, however, that the likeness between the facial features and descriptions of the kidnapper of ten-year-old Charles Mattson was startling.

Smith propped the body up and watched the features of the face, which he described as "the hideously like the drawing of the kidnapper as prepared by federal agents."

The man had a reddish beard of more than two months' growth, however, while the kidnapper was described as having a dark beard.

STRAGGLING BEARD

Coroner Moody said the beard had been untouched for more than two months. The Mattson child was kidnapped last December 27 by a man who invaded the home of his father, Dr. W. W. Mattson.

The kidnapper then demanded \$28,000 ransom, but tortured and killed his victim without receiving the money.

Smith trimmed the beard to what he estimated was about two weeks' growth, as described by eyewitnesses of the abduction.

He also declined to comment on spectators' remarks that the lips and eyes were harsh and cruel.

Coroner Moody said the body would be buried tomorrow in Potter's Field. Smith said he would examine the man's fingerprints and ragged clothing and make a report to Chief J. Edgar Hoover at Washington, D.C.

The man had worn ragged clothes and his cheap worsted coat was faded to a greenish color. He had tattered, dark colored trousers, over which he wore dungarees.

Coroner Moody fixed the man's age at about thirty years and said his nose had been broken, a detail which corresponded with descriptions of the Mattson kidnapper.

Smith also was to make an effort to determine whether said had been used by the man to eliminate the whorls of his fingerprints.

LEAD PRICES AT NEW HIGH

Copper Prices Also Go
Higher as Heavy Demand Continues

Associated Press

New York, Feb. 18.—Forced by continued heavy demand and higher quotations abroad, leading producers today raised the domestic price of lead 25 cents to \$6.25-\$6.30 cents a pound in New York, a new seven-year high.

At the same time, trade reports said there had been large-scale buying of copper on the London Metal Exchange during the morning, with prices ranging up to 14 1/2 cents a pound compared with 14 1/4 cents a pound yesterday.

While early sales of export copper here were at the 14 1/4-cent level, traders said they expected a rise to 14 1/2 cents later in the day. Domestic copper was steady and in demand at 14 cents a pound, to which price it was raised Tuesday from 13 cents.

**Caddy Is Seen
Near Boundary**

New Westminster, Feb. 18.—Caddis, a sea monster whose head has been variously described as resembling that of a camel, goat, sheep and polar bear, visited Boundary Bay on the international line between Canada and the United States Tuesday, Robert Urquhart of New Westminster reported today.

"Caddy," first seen in and named after Cadboro Bay near Victoria, "was doing five or six miles an hour and throwing a bow wave," Mr. Urquhart said. "I didn't see any humps as he was about 300 yards away, but I can say the head did look a little camelish."

Mr. Urquhart said it was "no use telling him it was a seal."

"I've seen too many of these things," he declared.

**New Onslaughts As
Madrid Fight Sways**

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The Chanollor called the defence re-organization problem would be simple if Britain's allies or enemies could be defined in advance.

"We have not got a single particular power for the enemy now. We are in alliance with other powers or groups of powers on whose aid we can count," said Mr. Chamberlain.

"We have to consider a whole series of hypothetical emergencies."

Replying to a Liberal suggestion for adoption of an "open door" colonial policy, Mr. Chamberlain de-

clared such a step would lead to the loss of the Empire.

SCATTERED RAIDS

In scattered bombing operations, insurgent planes dropped bombs on Guala, Spain, near Port-Bou on the Franco-Spanish border and on power stations in Lerida province.

Officials of autonomous Catalonia promised common action with the Spanish government in effecting a unified defence command.

CANADIAN PRESS FROM HAVAS

TRENCHES AT FRONTIER

Bilbao, Spain, Feb. 18.—Elaborate trenches are being dug along the Franco-Spanish frontier between Irun and Yasa by the Spanish insurgents under the supervision of German technicians, the press bureau of the autonomous Basque government charged here today.

It was further reported that large calibre guns were being placed by the insurgents on the top of Mount San Marti at Irun, site of the international bridge between France and Spain.

Many farmers of the region have been jailed for refusing to take part in this work of fortification and subsequently refusing to pay fines imposed on them, it was said.

Income Tax Relief In Manitoba Soon

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of our bonds were found to be so widely scattered and so numerous it would have been extremely difficult and costly, if not altogether impossible, to secure the assent of a bare majority of them to an adjustment of interest rates."

RELIEF MEASURES

Measures to relieve unemployment, the speech said, would be submitted for consideration of members. Other proposed legislation included acts "intended to prevent strikes and lock-outs in industry."

Legislation to make possible development of credit unions on a co-operative basis will be presented to the Assembly, the speech said, "in view of the lack of facilities for needed small loans for persons to whom ordinary sources of credit are not available, or who can obtain it only at exorbitant interest rates."

FEDERAL HIGHWAY CONTROL OPPOSED

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new board control over motor and truck traffic of inter-provincial or international character and also over Dominion highways.

PUBLIC INCONVENIENCE

Objections to the clause which was advanced claimed it was unconstitutional, and would lead to duality, public inconvenience and interference with motor industry.

Motor transport business in Canada started about 1916, Mr. Mason said. The various provinces were regulating this kind of traffic within their respective boundaries.

The development which had taken place in this industry had been due to a very large extent to the enormous expenditures of the different provinces, Mr. Mason said. Total paid by Ontario to date on highways amounted to \$318,000,000, and in 1937 about \$26,500,000 would be spent by Ontario on highways.

There should be no interference with this motor industry which the provinces had built up, by huge outlays of provincial funds, he contended.

The Dominion proposed to collect revenue under a system of licensing involving the use of purely provincial highways by operators, he said.

EACH DOMINION TO DECIDE OWN DEFENCE PLANS

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Majesty's governments in their respective Dominions.

Indicating Britain intended to finance alone her vast rearmament plan calling for an expenditure of \$7,500,000,000 within five years, Chamberlain of the Exchequer Neville Chamberlain yesterday evening told the House of Commons there was no intention of calling on the Dominions to make any contribution to a common defence fund.

The Dominions had spent a deal of money on their own defences, he said. That was their contribution. No other form of contribution was under discussion as far as he knew.

The Chancellor of the defence re-organization problem would be simple if Britain's allies or enemies could be defined in advance.

"We have not got a single particular power for the enemy now. We are in alliance with other powers or groups of powers on whose aid we can count," said Mr. Chamberlain.

"We have to consider a whole series of hypothetical emergencies."

Replying to a Liberal suggestion for adoption of an "open door" colonial policy, Mr. Chamberlain de-

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conscious of the value of their association with this country and they are making their own preparations at their own expense for their own defence. So far as the Dominions have opinions on our foreign policy, let them be expressed by them, not by persons in this House. We shall this year enjoy the full measure of a conference with Dominions representatives. Let us not embroil them in our commitments."

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Ottawa, Feb. 18.—A bill designed to expand and stiffen the provisions of the Criminal Code covering highway motor accidents was introduced in the House of Commons yesterday by T. L. Church, Conservative, Toronto-Broadview, and given first reading.

The bill would raise from seven to thirty days imprisonment the minimum penalty for being "under the influence of alcohol" while driving a motor vehicle. The present provisions of section 224, subsection two, cover those who have care or control of a motor vehicle, whether it is in motion or not.

The bill would provide a penalty for racing, cutting in or inciting to race on the highways.

It includes a subsection providing that where a person is responsible for a fatal motor accident by driving in a culpably negligent manner, even if not driving wantonly, he should be punished for this offence. Anyone who has caused a death by the driving of an automobile would be prevented from driving for two years.

Where the accused is a woman on trial before a jury, the bill would provide that one-third of the jurors be women.

**Canadian Holiday
For Coronation**

Ottawa, Feb. 18.—Thomas L. Church has given notice he will ask in the House of Commons tomorrow if Coronation Day, May 12, will be a public holiday in Canada in addition to May 24, Empire Day.

The Toronto-Broadview Conservative will ask also if business places will be closed on Coronation Day, if a proclamation will be issued to that effect, if the government would stage a special celebration, and where and what form it will take. He will also ask if any medals will be awarded in Canada and to whom.

**Thick Walls For New
Bomb-proof Shelters**

London, Feb. 18.—The really bomb-proof shelter needs fifteen feet of concrete, according to information given by Sir Thomas Inskip, Defence Co-ordination Minister.

In a written reply to a question in the House of Commons, Sir Thomas said a 500-pound semi-armour piercing bomb was the type which most probably would be used in an air raid. He went on: "I am informed the thickness of reinforced concrete required to resist the penetration and explosive effect of a heavy explosive bomb is fifteen feet."

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DOGS SAVED HUNTER'S LIFE

Went Hungry, Leaving Food
Cache For Californian
Hurt in Wild Forest

Associated Press

Santa Maria, Calif., Feb. 18.—Six dogs were starving.

"But I just told them, 'Boys, the old man needs all this chow till he gets well.' And they never touched a speck. And I'd have died, for sure, if those dogs had even left me."

That was the story told today by Charles Tant, a hunter of mountain lions, who lay injured since early in January in a cave in the wild Los Padres forest. He dragged himself back to civilization a couple of days ago.

Six weeks ago, Tant said, he slipped on ice while hunting, smashing a knee-cap and elbow. The first of many blizzards was starting. He was alone in the forest. He crawled to a cave where he had cached food. The dogs went with him. He stayed there until several days ago.

TALKED TO DOGS

"Sometimes, I thought I'd go crazy what with the pain and all," he said. "Then I'd call the dogs around and talk, and that made me feel better."

"Early this week, I said to myself, 'When this chow is gone, I got to do something. And I did.'"

It was sixty-five miles to the nearest habitation. Half-hobbling, cold and in pain, he made his way through the forest.

"The dogs come right along. They watched over me while I slept," he said. "And they never touched any of the grub that was left."

At last he reached the forest cabin of Dot Webber near Colson Canyon. Forest rangers brought him to surgical aid.

RUSSO-JAPAN PACT URGED

Y. Ozaki, Liberal, Addresses
Diet at Tokyo; Scores
Treaty With Germany

Associated Press

Tokyo, Feb. 18.—Japan's Liberal leadership came out yesterday for a Russo-Japanese pact of peace, expressed amendment that "Japan can shake hands with a country like Germany" and attacked the army for trying to "ruin" the nation.

Thus Yukio Ozaki, veteran Liberal, continued the parliamentary attack which, some observers believed, might result in army demands on the new Premier, Gen. Senjuro Hayashi, for dissolution of the recalcitrant Diet. That would mean a general election.

Ozaki, who is seventy-eight, added his thrusts to the assaults on the big army budget, said the German-Japanese pact against communism would help no one but the Nazis since communism was an "empty thought" in Japan, and said a non-aggression pact with Russia would be Japan's defence hope.

ACTED WITHOUT ORDERS

He accused the military of acting without orders from its supreme commander, the Emperor, and demanded to know if Japanese rearmament was to meet an internal or external threat, one by land or by sea.

Ozaki, who almost alone opposed the conquest of Manchuria, cited case after case over the last six years to support his contention that the army interfered in politics.

**Haifa City Hall
Damaged By Bomb**

Canadian Press from Havas

Haifa, Palestine, Feb. 18.—A bomb exploded in the city hall here today, causing considerable damage. Police carried out a search at the office of the National Arab Committee, where bombs and ammunition were found.

DR. CAMSELL RE-ELECTED LEADER

Ottawa, Feb. 18 (Canadian Press).—Charles Camsell, Deputy Minister of Mines and Resources, was re-elected president of the Canadian Geographical Society at the eighth annual meeting here yesterday evening.

BEAUTY PARLOR ROBBED

Seattle, Feb. 18 (Associated Press).—A handsome, polite robber, seating himself in a comfortable chair, ordered two beauty parlor operators and their two customers here yesterday to give them their purses, one by one.

From Dorothy Porteous, one of the operators, the man collected a total of \$20. He left the other operator, Dorothy Wilson, 25 cents car fare, but took \$1.75 from her.

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Lindberghs at Persian Gulf



Bahrain Island, Persian Gulf, Feb. 18 (Associated Press).—The Charles A. Lindberghs, flying from an overnight oasis in the Syrian Desert, landed here at 1:30 p.m. (G.M.T. (5:30 a.m., P.S.T.)), today. A sandstorm compelled them to make a forced landing in the desert yesterday.

When the above picture was made Col. Lindbergh was talking at Reading, Eng., with Mr. and Mrs. F.G. Miles, to whose designs his new Miles Mohawk high speed touring monoplane was built. He took off from Reading and soon afterward he and Mrs. Lindbergh left England aboard the machine, which cruises at 200 miles an hour.

Canadian Tells Of Malaga Flight

Dr. N. Bethune of Montreal
Describes Horrors of
Evacuation of 150,000
From City in South Spain
Later Captured By Insurgents

By H. E. KNOBLAUGH
Associated Press Foreign Staff

Valencia, Feb. 18.—Dr. Norman Bethune of Montreal last night described the flight of 150,000 men, women and children from Malaga as "the most terrible evacuation of a city in modern times."

(Malaga, southern Spanish seaport, was captured February 8 by the insurgents in the Spanish civil war.) Dr. Bethune, head of the Spanish-American Blood-Transfusion Institute, in an interview, said he had witnessed the evacuation during a trip from Barcelona with a truckload of refrigerated blood for transfusions.

"Imagine 150,000 men, women and children setting out for safety to a town situated more than 100 miles away with only one road to take on a journey requiring five days and five nights at least," he said.

"There was no food to be found in the villages and there were no trains or buses to transport them."

BOMBED BY FASCISTS

"They staggered and stumbled, with cut and bruised feet, along the white flint road while the Fascists bombed them from the air and from the sea."

"There were thousands of children. We counted at least 5,000 under ten years of age, at least 1,000 of them barefoot and many clad only in single garments."

"The incessant stream of people became so dense we barely could force our cars through them."

"We met so many distressed women and children we decided to turn back and start transporting the worst cases to safety."

"But it was difficult to choose which to take."

"Our car was besieged by a mob of frantic mothers and fathers who, with tired, outstretched arms, held up to us their children with their faces swollen and congested by four days of sun and dust."

"How could we choose between a child dying of dysentery and a mother stolidly watching us with great sunken eyes, carrying against her open breast her child born on the road two days before?"

"Many old people simply gave up the struggle and lay down beside the road to wait for death."

"We first decided to take only children and mothers. Then the separation of fathers and children, husbands and wives, became too cruel to bear. We finished by transporting to Almeria the families with the largest number of children, and children without parents."

"On the evening of the twelfth, when the little support of Almeria was completely filled with refugees who thought they had reached a haven of safety, German and Italian airplanes dropped ten bombs in the very centre of town where refugees were sleeping huddled so closely together on the main street that an auto could pass only with great difficulty."

"After the planes had passed I picked up three dead children from the pavement where they had been standing in line waiting for a cup of preserved milk and a handful of bread, the only food some of them had for days."

"The streets were a shambles of dead and dying, lighted only by the orange glare of burning buildings. In the semi-darkness the moans of wounded children and the shrieks of agonized mothers rose in a massed cry higher and higher to a pitch of intolerable intensity."

Dominions Outside Pledges of Britain

Canadian Press

London, Feb. 18.—No question exists of the Dominions possibly associating themselves in any way with the British Government in respect to commitments for the defence of France and Belgium, Viscount Cranborne, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, informed the House of Commons yesterday.

Geoffrey Mander, Liberal, asked: "The point is, have the Dominions associated themselves in any way with the action the British Government are taking with France and Belgium?"

Lord Cranborne replied: "There is no question of associating, but they have been kept informed."

MINOR AMENDMENTS

Ottawa, Feb. 18 (Canadian Press).—The Senate yesterday decided to make some minor amendments in the bill to encourage repair of rural and urban homes, but the preparation of these changes was stood over until its next meeting set for Tuesday of next week. The amendments will not affect the principle of the measure in any way in view of the general support from Conservatives and Liberals.

The changes will largely be in the phraseology.

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Commissions Are Stated Too Many

Meighen Tells Senate He Believes
Inquiries Cost Canada Too Much

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Feb. 18.—Hon. Arthur Meighen believes too many commissions, federal and provincial, are functioning in Canada, at terrific expense to the taxpayers.

"You can hardly look anywhere where there is not a commission in operation in this country," said the Conservative leader in the Senate at yesterday's sitting of the upper chamber.

A few years ago there had been an inquiry into the Winnipeg Grain Exchange and now the same ground was being gone over at a new grain investigation.

Then, he continued, there was the textile commission, "which as far as I can see is going to keep on commissioning."

"Lawyers are employed at good pay and they seem to think it is their duty to use money of this country to propagate their particular tariff beliefs here, there and everywhere."

Senator Meighen declared. The federal treasury was being exploited by lawyers on some commissions "spilling" their tariff principles or tariff prejudices.

An Ontario commission was presently engaged at Guelph, Ont., taking evidence from a "string of young convicts" and he wondered what need there was for the inquiry.

At the same time, a federal commission investigating the administration of Canadian penitentiaries, before which convicts were voicing their grievances at a cost to the country from \$500 to \$1,000 per day. This country had a lot more deserving grievances from honest workers worthy of consideration than the grievances of convicts.

The opposition leader was speaking on the Home Improvement Bill, which was given second reading and sent to the banking and commerce committee. He agreed with Hon. Raoul Dandurand, Liberal leader, and Senator Cairine Wilson, Liberal, Ottawa, the measure was commendable.

He did not believe, however, the elaborate machinery of the National Employment Commission was necessary to put it into operation.

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Italians Fighting On Malaga Front

London, Feb. 17.—Three thousand Italians are fighting in the ranks of the Spanish insurgent army on the Malaga front, Foreign Under-Secretary Lord Cranborne revealed in the House of Commons yesterday.

Of the 6,000 insurgents who on February 8 occupied the government southern stronghold, 3,000 were Italians, Lord Cranborne declared in reply to a question from Hugh Dalton, Labor.

Gen. Chu Dies At Shanghai

Shanghai, Feb. 18.—General Chu P'ei-teh, forty-seven, head of the National Military Council and former chief of the Chinese general staff, died today of blood poisoning.

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DEFIED BY ITS ENEMIES AND DE-
serted by many of its friends, the League
of Nations has been occupying a quieter corner
of the world stage. Less in the limelight, it is,
however, by no means passing off the scene. It
is still as busy as it ever was in those quiet, un-
obtrusive activities which seldom get the head-
lines.

A recent bulletin from the League of Na-
tions Association summarizes some of the things
the League is now doing.

It is continuing to help the Chinese in their
reconstruction programme. League experts are
busy advising the Chinese on such matters as
health, finance, agriculture, hydraulics and
food control.

The League also is enabling Chinese engi-
neers and other specialists to study abroad and
get contacts and information which will enable
them to serve their country better.

The League's health organization has been
getting international standards set for such
things as anti-pneumonia serum, staphylococcus
antitoxin, and so on. Governments and com-
mercial laboratories throughout the world, as a
result, are enabled to give their people better
protection against disease.

The League is preparing to summon an in-
ternational conference on the sugar trade by
which the industry may be stabilized and decent
security assured to planters and workers in far-
distant parts of the globe.

Standing alone, this catalogue of activities
is impressive. It is only when contrasted with
the great war-prevention work the League was
designed to do that it looks small. Because the
League has failed miserably in the larger
sphere, the solid and substantial work it has
done in the lesser one escaped our notice.

Yet, with work of this kind being done
quietly, honestly and fully, we cannot say that
the League has failed. For if it is doing nothing
else, it is at least giving us a constant object
lesson in the value of international co-operation
and mutual help.

Dictators and war-mongers may rant and
strut and rattle their sabers; all the while, these
self-effacing League workers are doing their part
to make men happier and life richer—doing it
with a serene disregard for international bound-
aries, hatreds or suspicions.

May the power of that example have its
effect on us before the world slips into the orgy
of collective throat-cutting which many fear lies
ahead of Europe.

How About the Report?

A TORONTO PAPER REPORTS
that reduction in the number of gasoline
distributing units is believed to be one of the
recommendations of the Royal Commission
which has been investigating the coal, fuel oil
and gasoline business throughout British Col-
umbia.

Whether this is or is not one of the com-
mission's recommendations, gasoline consumers
and retailers here really would like to know what
the commission has found and what it recom-
mends. The commission got into action two years
ago. It has been evident that it has sought to
make a thorough job of its investigating. Its
personnel was recognized on all sides as highly
capable and imbued with the desire to get at
the facts. It is understood that it completed
its labors and reported its findings some time
ago.

The taxpayers of British Columbia have
invested a lot of money in this inquiry in the
expectation of gaining enlightenment on mysti-
fying aspects of the fuel and gasoline business,
and, perhaps, some measure of price reduction,
if prices were found to be unjustifiable.

If the publication of the report of the com-
mission is delayed much longer, the facts upon
which it is based may have so changed that the
report will be out of date.

Real Public Service

IT IS WELL WORTH WHILE TO
note that the greater part of the fund
gathered in memory of King George V is to
be devoted to the provision of playing fields
everywhere in town and country where the
children may "play in happiness and safety for
all time."

The Lord Mayor of London said in ap-
peal for this memorial fund: "There never was a
better cause." It has been estimated, after a
careful investigation, that a minimum of seven
acres of open space per thousand of the popu-
lation is necessary for the well-being of the
nation. The cost of such provision is not stated,
but it is hoped that at least three or four million
dollars will be secured, more than half the
amount being already in hand.

Says The New York Times: A novel
way has been proposed for securing the added
amount: that every one with a banking ac-
count should on a specified date in Memorial
Week—the anniversary of King George's death
—instruct their bankers to pay over to the fund
"the odd shillings and pence in the account." At
there are 30,000,000 accounts throughout the
country, it was thought that the scheme
would have vast possibilities. What the response
to this ingenious suggestion was will soon be

known. But undoubtedly the memorial move-
ment will be extended till the "objective" is
reached. King George V will need no special
monument if the chain of playing fields bearing
his name stretches from Land's End to John o'
Groat's.

That shillings-and-pence idea was a brilliant
thought. We may wonder here, in Victoria,
for example, if during that fine bit of social
service work carried out by the Gyro Club last
Christmas—as usual, of course—had made a
similar suggestion.

At any rate, it is an idea which those fine
young fellows who gave of their time, talents
and money for many days and nights before
Christmas Day might consider.

Student Eyestrain

THE STUDENT PAYS DEARLY
for a college education when, in addition
to financial costs, he gives up part of his precious
eyesight. It has long been suspected that four
years of close and long attention to books might
impair the vision. Tests of grade and high
school students have been made to determine
the effect of school work on eyesight, but there
has been little actual knowledge of what happens
to the eyesight of college students.

The extent of damage to vision resulting
from the strain on the eyes incurred in obtaining
a college education has now been measured on
one thousand University of Minnesota students.
Of these thousand, about one in six had seriously
defective vision on entering college. Dr. Ruth
E. Boynton, associate professor of preventive
medicine and public health at the university,
found. At the end of the four years in college,
this percentage had increased. About one in
four of the students had seriously defective
vision at the time of graduation.

Most of these students were enrolled in
the medical school or the college of education.
Upon entering the university, eye examinations
showed that about half of them had normal
vision. About another third (30 per cent) had
slight defects in vision, and 16 per cent, not
quite a fifth, had serious defects in vision. The
number with seriously defective vision increased
to nearly a fourth (24 per cent) by the time
of graduation.

College work was hardest on the eyesight
of those students who started out with the
greatest visual handicap. Dr. Boynton told a
conference of the National Society for the
Prevention of Blindness. "Students having the
lowest visual acuity when entering the uni-
versity," he said, "had the most marked de-
crease in vision at the end of four years."

The layman will be surprised to learn that
near-sightedness is apparently less of a handicap
to the college student than either farsightedness
or astigmatism. A large percentage of near-
sighted students were among those with the
highest scholastic records.

Recognition at Last!

TO ONE ITEM IN THE \$35,000,000
defence appropriation, now under discus-
sion at Ottawa, there can be little objection
from even the most sincere pacifist. That is
the item of \$5,821,000 for the militia units.

For years, under one government after an-
other the militia has been starved. Volunteer
units in Victoria as well as those throughout the
rest of the country have been denied essential
equipment. They have been forced to carry
equipment long out of date, some of it pre-war,
or with none at all. It has been all rather ridi-
culous and futile.

The least those devoting their time without
pay in giving or taking instruction have the right
to expect is that their country provide them with
what is necessary so that their training may be
reasonably efficacious.

Hon. Ian Mackenzie is the first minister
in the defence department since the war who has
had the appreciation of the work of the militia
and the courage to move to remedy the anom-
alous situation.

Notes

Because their follies mark all the paths to
disaster, fools contribute more to mankind than
do sages.

We have not seen so many barbed jokes
about crooners since Bing Crosby's salary
figures were published.

"Hit Wife for Smoking," reads a headline.
It is more usual, The Toronto Globe and Mail
has observed, to hit her for a cigarette.

A Christian land is one where a dreadful
disease plague can flourish because it is con-
sidered not nice to talk about such things.

A hospital report lists the case of a boy
who swallowed a quantity of glass. However,
he is suffering no ill-effects, except slight pains.

Highbrows denounce dime novels and pulp
magazine adventure fiction, yet the sad truth is
that some great and good men read Nick
Carter in their youth, while some of the meanest
were raised on the Youth's Companion.

Kissing the Bible is not only an unsanitary
practice, but apparently it has given rise to the
belief on the part of many about to take an oath
that unless they actually kiss the Book they are
not binding themselves in the name of God to
tell "the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but
the truth." Many a lying witness, The Toronto
Globe and Mail reminds us, has kissed his
thumb as he held the Book, and perjured himself
with a clear conscience. It is well that it should
be known that, when the witness takes the Book
in his hand and repeats the oath he is binding
himself in the most solemn manner possible.

Column Three

Tariff Inequalities Give
West Real Grievance

From The Edmonton Journal

FAILURE to devise a system of compensation
for those provinces adversely affected by
Canada's general tariff policy is another factor
contributing to unrest and economic distress in
the three prairie provinces. The unequal inci-
dence of national tariffs, therefore, is a further
proper subject for inquiry by such a body as a
"Duncan Commission for the West" as proposed
by The Journal.

No objection can be taken to a tariff that at-
tends industries indigenous to Canada reasonable
protection against competition from low-wage
countries. But for many years The Journal has
been stressing the unequal incidence of the tariff
on different sections of the country. Certain
provinces benefit greatly from the tariff, others
lose by it. The Journal has pointed out repeatedly
that if this inequality is not offset by some form
of compensation for the latter group of provinces,
the tariff will continue to provoke sectional
feeling.

THAT Ontario and Quebec benefit from the
tariff while the other seven provinces pay for it
was shown in 1934 by Hon. Norman Rogers,
then professor of economics at Queen's University,
now Federal Minister of Labor. His report was the
first real effort to appraise in dollars and cents
the benefit of the tariff to Ontario and Quebec
and its cost to the other provinces. While Mr.
Rogers was careful to point out that it was im-
possible to measure the exact incidence of the
tariff on each individual province, he placed its
effect on the three prairie provinces during the
fiscal year ending March 31, 1931, approximately
as follows:

Province	Price Increase Due to Tariff	Benefit to Producers at Tariff	Excess Cost to Consumers
Manitoba	\$29,185,740	\$10,919,971	\$8,274,769
Saskatchewan	\$26,228,245	2,275,950	25,952,295
Alberta	\$7,999,396	8,311,148	16,989,548
Total	\$63,413,421	\$21,496,069	\$64,925,252

On the other hand, Mr. Rogers gave correspond-
ing figures for Quebec and Ontario as follows:

Province	Price Increase Due to Tariff	Benefit to Producers at Tariff	Excess Cost to Consumers
Quebec	\$101,171,582	\$12,887,447	\$11,885,585
Ontario	\$188,732,723	\$20,725,484	\$1,889,761
Total	\$289,904,305	\$33,582,931	\$83,675,546

MR. ROGERS went to the crux of the situation
from a national standpoint in one paragraph
of his report, which reads as follows:

"The effect of the tariff in increasing money
income in Ontario and Quebec is significant be-
cause the Federal Government presupposes the
existence of the provinces as distinct entities and
the ability of a province to discharge its consti-
tutional obligations depends upon the vitality of
its economic life. If national policies have a ten-
dency to enrich the economy of two provinces at
the expense of the remainder, this fact is of the
utmost importance as determining the wisdom
or unwisdom of the policies in question and also
in its bearing upon the constitutional and finan-
cial relationships of the dominion and the provinces."

The addition of dumping duties on top of a
substantial increase in the general tariff level,
introduced by Mr. Bennett during the depression,
undoubtedly helped to check industrial unem-
ployment. But again the prairie provinces had
to pay. Agricultural products they had to sell
for much further in price than goods they
bought, partly because the former could not be
subsidized by Canadian tariffs, while the latter
could. Wheat that brought \$1.25 a bushel in
Edmonton in 1935 fell as low as 31 cents a bushel
during the depression.

Alberta coal offers a further point of protest.
This commodity, about the only one Alberta has
to sell in any large quantity in eastern Canada,
is denied the benefit of any substantial measure
of tariff protection.

The whole question of tariff incidence and its
net cost to the prairie provinces clearly demands
thorough investigation by a "Duncan Commis-
sion" for the west.

LINES ON THE DEATH OF A FRIEND

Weep not for him, whose passing on,
Has left us, for a while, alone,
A few short years and we, as he,
Will find ourselves by Death set free.
This Death, that we are taught to fear,
As our worst foe, may prove, when near,
Our truest friend—his summoning hand,
Open to us the promised land.

Of life eternal—age upon age,
Shall give us time to scan the page
Of lessons, that our Teacher-God
First set us, when upon the road,
The spiral path that leads above,
He placed us, in His mighty love,
To make our way upward and on,
And, though that path seem steep and lone,

We stumble, and we backward slide,
Still is He ever near our side,
Giving us yet another trial,
Another space, another while,
Another age to find our soul,
To realize that, in the Whole,
We have a part, however small,
That we are His, and He is All.

Books, B.C. —C. A. H.

POLITICAL BED-MAKING

From The Kitchener-Record

A wisecracker maintains that when a politician
makes up his bed he should lie in it. Unfortun-
ately he seems more inclined to make up his bunk
and lie out of it.

OPEN SESAME

From The St. Louis Star-Times

A man's home is his castle, where strangers
can't get at him—except by using the telephone.

WIFELY PREROGATIVE

A wife is a person who sits beside a bald hus-
band and whispers: "What lovely hair that movie
hero has!"

WHAT HE REALLY MEANS

When a lawyer cries: "I object!" it often means
the witness is about to let the truth out.

OLD STUFF

This effort to educate adults isn't new. Parents
have always had to put up with it.

INDICATION

You can tell when a man has settled down.
He begins fussing about the way his shirts are
ironed.

People are like dogs. A dog runs from you if
you run at him, but he runs after you if you run
from him.

Correct this sentence: He was so bitterly op-
posed to billboards that he never purchased
anything that was advertised on them.

Never mention your charities. One-third of the
people will think you are lying; another third
will think you are boasting; and the others will
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COULD ENGLAND DEFEND US?

To the Editor:—We have been
heartily amused lately at efforts to
make us jump into the fires of Impe-
rial defence, and if the occasion
should arise help pull the British
chestnut out of the fire as we did
in 1914, thereby costing Canada some
two billion dollars and 60,000 fine
corpses under the sod in Flanders.
South Africa has already stated in
unmistakable terms that she is not
necessarily at war if England is at
war. The Irish Free State has done
the same, as has India. Now Canada
has said the same thing. If anyone
thinks that any Canadian is anxious
to give his life to protect some stolen
islands now under Australian man-
date, or some swamps in Africa on
the same footing, they have another
guess coming.

Why will these Imperialists still
look on Canada as a colony?
I will ask the Editor of The
Colonist, who is going to attack us?
No one has been able to answer this
question so far.

If it is Germany we can get no
help from England, for to attack
Canada she would first have to sub-
due England, and as General Butler
has shown, she could not success-
fully attack Canada, anyway. If it is
Japan, England would not dare send
help to the Pacific, for by so doing
she would reduce herself to the
status of a third-rate power in
Europe.

Who then is our enemy? No one,
so far, and we hope to remain in
that position indefinitely.
The surest defence for Canada is
to mind our own business and remain
good friends with our good neigh-
bors, the United States and Mexico.
VETERAN OFFICER.

Modern Etiquette

By ROBERTA LEE

Q. Is it correct to have one's ad-
dress engraved on visiting cards?

A. Yes.

Q. When one's dinner guests do not
smoke, is it all right for the host or
hostess, or both, to do so?

A. No; they should not.

Q. Is it proper for a girl to apply
face powder, rouge, and lipstick, while
in a dining-room, street car, elevator,
or other public place?

A. While this is seen every day, and
has become more or less of a custom,
it cannot be called the proper thing to do.

Better English

By R. E. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sen-
tence? "Let's you and I go now."

2. What is the correct pronoun
of "falsest"?

3. Which one of these words is mis-
spelled? Bouquet, boulevard, bou-
llion, boulevard.

4. What does the word "eradicat-"
mean?

5. What is a word beginning with
st that means "characterized by a
deep snoring"?

Answers

1. Say, "Let you and me go now."
2. Pronounce fol-set-o, first o as in
soft, e as in set, second o as in no-
accent second syllable. 3. Boulevard.
4. To root out, to destroy utterly.
5. This evil might be eradicated by
vigorous treatment.—Southey. 5
Stertorous.

Parallel Thoughts

So likewise shall my heavenly
Father do also unto you, if ye from
your hearts forgive not every one his
brother their trespasses.—St. Mat-
thew xviii, 35.

We hand folks over to God's mercy,
and show none ourselves.—George
Miot.

SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark

NOT YET
From The San Francisco Chronicle

So much has been done in syn-
thetic foods by chemists overseas, we
are wondering if it will be possible
to send empty T-bone out for a refill.

From The Sydney Post-Record

Manuel de Grujo, minister without
portfolio in the Valencia govern-
ment, says that Spain's civil war, now
in progress six months, has taken the
lives of 1,000,000 Spaniards, and that,
if it lasts for a year from the time it
started, will take toll of another
million. Whether it ends soon or
late, this savage internecine conflict

is the worst scourge that has fallen
upon Spain in its whole history as
an organized nation.

PRESERVING THE NAME

From The Detroit News

An occasional Spaniard is still to
be seen among the Fighting Spar-
tans. He corresponds to the O'Neill
who played an end for Notre Dame.



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thetic foods by chemists overseas, we
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FRIDAY VALUES—CASH AND CARRY

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Silverleaf Lard per lb.	14c	Pride Shortening per lb.	12c	Beef Dripping per lb.	7c
Bologna sliced, 1/2 lb.	7c	Large Eggs Grade A, doz.	25c	Brookfield Cheese 1/2 lb., each	13c
Springfield Butter 3 lbs.	91c	Cottage Rolls Smoked, lb.	21c	Mixed Pickles per pint	20c

MEATS—AS CUT IN CASE

Shoulders, lb.	8c	Legs, whole, lb.	13c	Breasts, lb.	5c
Small Roasts, lb.	14c	Boneless Rolled Roasts, lb.	19c		
Fillets, lb.	20c	Steaks, lb.	14c	Chops, lb.	18c
Butts, lb.	15c	Loins, lb.	21c	Legs, lb.	21c
Kidneys, lb.	13c	Chops, lb.	22c	Steaks, lb.	15c
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Letters to the Editor

AS THEY DO IT IN ENGLAND

To the Editor—After hearing Dr. Peabody's radio speech on the Health Insurance, I would say he seems to be rather slow to give advice as to the benefits to the people of England. He actually said that they could not have the service of a specialist. First, let me say, that the employees over there only pay fourpence per week, and are insured for all medical care, medicine and also unemployment on top of it all. An insured employee in England does not have to pay one cent more, never mind what the doctor prescribes for him as medicine. A doctor here is only giving advice as to what you are suffering from and then the drug stores are to charge half-price for the medicine. Now, the charge is all too much, because what you can buy in England for two or three cents costs as much as seventy-five cents here. I know, because I have bought exactly the same product. So why don't the governments do their duty, and prevent such profiteering and let us get first-class insurance, the same as in Blighty.

ONE WHO HAD HAD SOME.
Logan Ave., Sanich.

AGAINST BAN ON HOSPITAL VISITORS

To the Editor—Why the ban on visitors in the hospitals. For two weeks an attempt has been made to enforce an arbitrary regulation which upon reflection has no point. Not only are there dozens of people coming into direct contact with patients daily here, but upon investigation no satisfactory answer is forthcoming as to the reasons for the ban. Friends and relatives are prohibited from endeavoring to lighten the suffering of their loved ones, yet doctors, nurses, housemen, orderlies, tradesmen, charity dispensers mingle freely with all ward patients. It is significant that no signs of flu have come to the notice of those in the surgical ward, not even a cold has developed. To me it is a petty tyranny imposed by those who have no knowledge of conditions here, nor are capable of giving a considered opinion on the subject. Some might apply an uglier word. It is reminiscent of the impositions on liberty of thought and activity in such countries as Germany and Italy.

HANS KROGER,
Jubilee Hospital.

WHAT TO DO WITH OUR SURPLUS YOUTH

To the Editor—Canada has a great and difficult problem to face in the immediate future, viz., that of the youth of our great country. Surely it is an important enough matter to be dealt with very soon, as they are the men of tomorrow who will be the leaders of our country.

What has the young man to look forward to, with no employment after he leaves school? They get together in gangs and many of them eventually land in the Boys' Industrial School, and then finally in Oakalla jail. These institutions are filled to capacity now with young people. The majority of these boys obtain only a better education in crime, and while they are getting this, the government has to keep them. Why could not a scheme of compulsory military service be worked out? Say, for instance, a lad of seventeen gets out of school and has no work to do, he could be taken by the militia and trained physically and mentally to learn discipline and to respect law and order. It is not at all necessary to train him in the use of machine guns, that would not be the object. While in this school he could be given duties which he would be paid for, half of his remuneration could be given to his parents and the balance saved for him until he is discharged, say at the age of twenty or twenty-one, when he would be fitted to obtain employment and become a good citizen and a credit to the community. The cost would be but very little more than what is now being paid to keep up these institutions for the so-called punishment of the young law-breakers, and the moral effect much better.

A solution of the youth problem must be found sooner or later, so why not start before it is too late.

I have spoken to young men from these institutions and therefore know what I am saying is correct. I would like to see some letters in your valuable paper in connection with this matter.

P. K. CUMMINGS,
3044 Orilla St.

PRE-CONFEDERATION PIONEER COUNSELLOR MR. TWIGG

To the Editor—Mr. Twigg is still preaching disunion. His principle reason as I see it is the island paying more taxes in proportion to the mainland—and we are not getting a fair return of expenditures compared with the mainland.

I would first ask him what built up Victoria, first, the Fraser River gold rush of 1866, the building of the Cariboo road and the development of the mines, both there and elsewhere. The Cariboo road was built and paid for by the mainland, which enabled the miners to return to Victoria for the winter so that the merchants of Victoria could reap a harvest on their summer work.

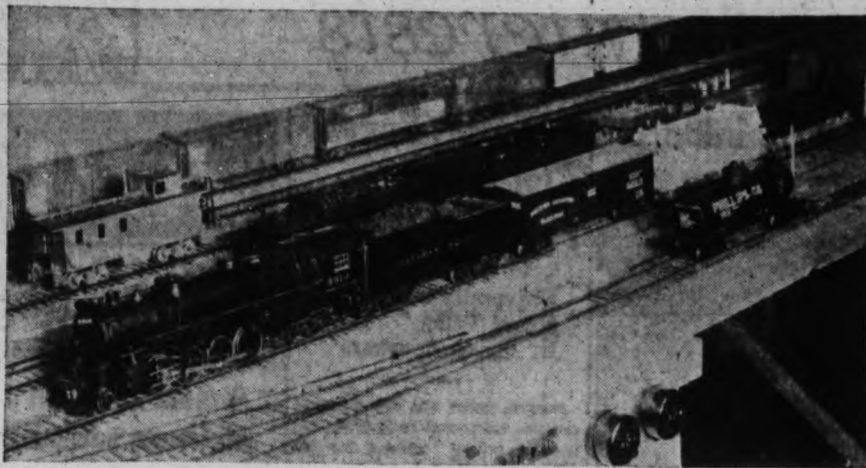
We have been separate colonies before, and both colonies were bankrupt until they were again united. The Bank of Victoria refused any more credit to Vancouver Island. I would refer Mr. Twigg to Judge Howay's history of B.C. The colonies were separated in 1863. In 1864, the population of B.C. was estimated at 6,000, income \$104,000; expenditures \$189,485—a deficit of \$85,485. Those were dark days in B.C.

I landed here in 1894, so have been a resident of B.C. for 73 years, three years more than the allotted span of life.

I will remember our fight for the union of the two colonies and the credit for that union should go to Amos De Courcey, a man who did more than anyone else for B.C. Also the credit for Confederation should go to him.

The trend of all movements today

To Exhibit Model Railroad at Hobby Fair



Among the many exhibits at the Hobby Fair at the Y.M.C.A. on Friday and Saturday next, will be a model railroad, shown in the above picture, built by G. R. Hearn, Cedar Hill. Through the foresight of a few men who were interested in model railroading, a miniature industry has sprung up that has made it possible for any one, no matter how little he knows of engineering, to own his own railroad. The merchandise that companies are making and putting on the market is sold chiefly in kit form and is so designed that anyone can assemble them. A great effort has been made by the model railroaders of this city to bring a working layout to the Hobby Fair, so that the people who are interested in this hobby can have an idea of what can be done. At the exhibit will be men who have an excellent knowledge of the hobby and they will be at the service of the general public. Model railroading is now growing so rapidly that it has become a national hobby in Canada and United States. Canadians are so much a part of the great railroads that wind their silver ribbons across the country, that many of them like to build their own railroads and become master of their own tiny trains. The thrill of watching the performance of these small miniatures pulling long freights, or crack expresses over the mountains or across bridges and along the straight-away is so great, that, both young and old, will stand for hours watch these midgets do their stuff.

is amalgamation—spread out, rather than cut up.

I do not like the estimate Mr. Twigg places on our citizenship, dollars and cents. He would cut off all who are not paying the highest per capita tax. Well, I hope I will never see the day when qualification for citizenship will be measured that way.

JOHN N. EVANS
R.M.R. No. 2, Duncan.

HAS SOME DEFINITE IDEAS ON CHECKING DEBT GROWTH

To the Editor—I have read many of the letters in your paper, but I fail to note any of a constructive nature to counteract the ever-increasing debt of this province. My opinion towards this end follows:

All British Columbians should demand the following bills to be passed at our next session of Parliament:

No. 1. A bill to use three parts of the gas and automobile taxes for roads, the first part to be placed in trust to eliminate debt.

No. 2. Medical aid. Every person wishing to join same, pay for it out of their own pocket at, say 6 cents per week, no large staff would be required for this work.

No. 3. Sinking funds. These funds to be kept intact for the purpose of paying off debt; a bill must be brought in penalizing the members with jail and heavily fined who advocate or cause these funds to be tampered with—jail sentences of two to five years should be imposed.

No. 4. The 1 per cent tax on wages be abolished.

We British Columbians have come to the conclusion that graft must stop, and any project costing over a reasonable amount—say \$500,000—must have the voters' consent.

M. BENNETT
Cowichan Bay.

FORTIN SCHEME PAY-OFF

To the Editor—I have sent the following open letter to the mayor and aldermen:

It is reported in The Times that the question of making a payment to Mr. Henley will be considered at a secret session meeting of the Council.

"We will hear what Mr. Henley has to say before making any offer in the way of payment for his services," Alderman Hunter stated. I feel that after my action dealing with this, and the support I received at the last election it is my duty to state that Mr. Henley can have no claim upon the ratepayers; that he was paid fully for his services.

By-law 2755 distinctly states "Bearing interest at a rate not greater than 4 per cent (4%)." It would now appear that if the "Fortin Scheme" should be passed by the Council the cost of the trip of the mayor, city comptroller and Mr. Henley was of no value. London and other British bonds are 4 per cent and 4½ per cent; so no advantage was gained for the taxpayer. The "Fortin Scheme" is to be 4½ per cent.

Again, at a meeting held by your Council on February 5 it is reported in The Times: "To a reporter waiting in the corridor for a statement, the voice of Jules Fortin carried through the door, to the effect his plan was connected with the Henley scheme. Prior to his words an alderman had asked if any relationship existed between the two plans. I have not consulted Mr. Henley at all in this scheme," Mr. Fortin replied.

Again, this scheme, or any other scheme, is to await the consent of the Legislature to validate and until such time nothing can or should be done to make bargains with Mr. Henley.

Clause 3 states, by-law 2755, that the by-law refers only for the purpose of the Henley scheme:

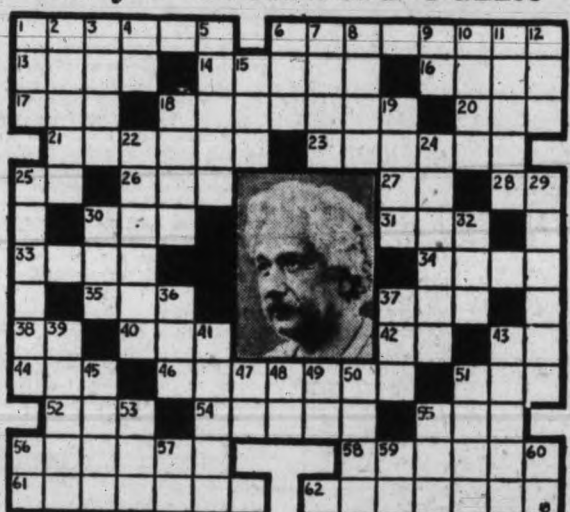
(a.) Until his appointment is cancelled by resolution of the Council.

(b.) Until the exchange by way of refunding purchase of the whole of the corporation debentures and stock of the corporation referred to in section 1 of the by-law has been effected and carried through to completion to the satisfaction and approval of the Municipal Council or until this by-law is repealed.

It is clearly stated that "the whole of the outstanding debentures in Great Britain being 4½ per cent, your Council surely would not expect them to accept 4 per cent." Mr. Henley was appointed fiscal agent only for the purpose of his scheme, not Mr. Fortin's, and I feel that the question of fiscal agent should have been rescinded on the arrival of Mr. Fortin and following his statement to your body.

I can only await the decision of

Today's Crossword Puzzle



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1. A Nobel prize 51 Heart, winner for 52 X.

2. To make, amend 54 To make, amend.

3. Destination 55 Soft mass.

4. Speedily 56 He is famous for his 57.

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Social And Club Interests

Honeymooning on Mainland



Mrs. Arthur Thos. Restell, formerly Miss Irma Jean Miller, whose marriage took place at the First United Church last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Restell will return to Victoria on Saturday.

Fascism, Boxes And Verse Topics

University Club Hears Talks By Three Speakers

Fascism, poetry and antique boxes were the component parts of the interesting trilogy presented for the information and entertainment of the University Women's Club at its meeting in the Y.W.C.A. last night. Miss Hazel Sargent dealt with "The Rise of Fascism". Mrs. M. E. Godson on three modern poets, W. H. Auden, C. D. Lewis and Stephen Spender, Miss Adele Macleod spoke on "The Lure of the Box".

ANTI-DEMOCRATIC
Miss Sargent reviewed the rise of fascism in Italy and described its plan of government, which was totally alien to democratic government. But financial stability was essential to the success of such a system and, although under Mussolini Italy had experienced a revival of her old-time spirit and pride, as Sir Philip Gibbs points out, her budget was not balanced.

MODERN POETS
Certain modern characteristics were common to the poetry of Auden, Lewis and Spender, Mrs. Godson noted. Products of Oxford University, all three denounced the capitalistic class and voiced their hatred of injustice; all shared views in common in the field of political philosophy and all used the concrete imagery of the modern world.

She read selections from their verse to illustrate her analyses, showing that in Spender's work emotion and intellect were perfectly fused, and there was a reflection of the conscious heroism of youth. Auden's verse was described as "sometimes obscure, but always eloquent." It indicated a future in the field of poetic drama. Lewis used the theme of fatherhood much in his poems.

PATCHES AND POMADE
The gallantry of patch and powder days was recalled by Miss Adele Macleod who brought a fascinating collection of old pomade boxes, snuff boxes, patch boxes, comfort boxes, ointment, toothpick and nutmeg boxes, and tea boxes or caddies to illustrate her story of "The Lure of the Box".

The compact carried by women today had its prototype in the pomade and patch boxes of the "poudre period," when gallants as well as ladies used them, she said. Exquisite snuff boxes were also an essential accompaniment to a dandy's toilette in bygone days, the art of taking snuff being considered such a social accomplishment that lessons were taken to ensure grace in the performance of the ritual.

Miss Macleod also recalled the days when tea was so expensive that the ornate tea caddy was kept in the drawing-room. She further spoke of the "comfort" boxes which contained "cachous" to sweeten the breath and were popular in the orgiastic days of Louis XIV, the king himself carrying one.

day evening when the Vancouver Island Dog Fanciers' Association held a Valentine party in aid of the association's funds. Mr. and Mrs. Hodgkinson and Miss Hyacinth Harfield convened the party and the various competitions were won by Mr. Hanson.

Mr. Carl Benn, Miss Lavonne Hubert and Mrs. Beale. Among those attending were: Captain and Mrs. Ransome, Mrs. H. J. Beale, Mrs. E. Tison, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McVie, Mr. and Mrs. Derry, Miss Evelyn Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Harfield, Mr. Max Bloomfield, Captain and Mrs. G. C. Bloomfield, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hubert, Miss Lavonne Hubert, Mr. Ingram, the Misses Mac and Jerry Murray, Mr. John Hewison, Mr. Fairweather, Mrs. Brown, Messrs. Harry and Frank Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor, Mr. Carl Benn, and the Misses Doris and Kathleen Fallows.

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Liberal Women Honor Laurier

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Feb. 18.—A wreath was placed on the monument of Sir Wilfrid Laurier yesterday, the anniversary of his death, by Mme. P. F. Casgrain, vice-president of the National Federation of Liberal Women of Canada, assisted by Hon. Senator Cairine Wilson, acting president, and Mrs. P. McEvoy, vice-president of the Ontario Women's Liberal Association. The ceremony took place at the east entrance to Parliament Hill, the site of the statue, and was the largest ceremony held in recent years to commemorate the death of the former Liberal chief minister. Prime Minister Mackenzie King also assisted at the ceremony and other members of the cabinet attended.

Robert Laurier, nephew of Sir Wilfrid, and Mrs. Laurier were present with about fifty members of Parliament from all parts of Canada.

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Canadian Press
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Rolls, lb. 15c	Loins, lb. 10c
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	(With own container.)
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HEADCHEESE—lb. 15c	VEAL LOAF, lb. 22c

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About 350 guests danced in the Tudor grill at the Empress Hotel last night when the staff, which numbers 191, held its annual dance, the first being a most enjoyable occasion. The guests were received by Mr. J. K. Hodges, hotel manager, and Mrs. Hodges, and the evening's entertainment was in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rathe and heads of the various departments of the hotel.

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St. Aidan's Tillamook—St. Aidan's Tillamook Club held its weekly meeting in the assembly hall on Monday night. The Centennial Y.P.S. were the guests of the Tillamook Club at a Valentine social. Under the leadership of Barbara Dawson, an interesting programme of games and contests were played. Refreshments were served. On behalf of the visiting society, Jim McCague moved a vote of thanks. The evening closed with the singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," and the benediction was pronounced by Rev. T. O. Griffiths.

Rome (Canadian Press)—Familiar admonitions in Italy today are "raise more children and glorify the race" and "drink more wine and stimulate agriculture."

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Society

Mr. Bruce Hutchison has left for Ottawa, where he expects to spend the next month.

Mr. Lorne Swannell of Kamloops has arrived from the interior to spend a vacation with his parents.

Mrs. Michael Burns of Calgary has arrived in Victoria, and is staying with her aunt, Mrs. Winter Ferguson, Foul Bay Road.

Mrs. J. Slater of Edmonton, who has been spending the last few weeks in Victoria as a guest at the Strathcona Hotel, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Onions, formerly Miss M. E. McIntosh, who have been spending their honeymoon in Los Angeles, returned today to Victoria.

Mrs. Allan Graham of Cranbrook, accompanied by her daughter Ann, is visiting in the city. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex M. Watson, 577 Newport Avenue, Oak Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. John Royden Morris, formerly Miss Kathleen Anne McFarlane of Vancouver, who are spending their honeymoon in California, are expected back in Victoria on Monday next.

Miss Margaret (Mickey) Hall, who left Victoria last October for England, is expected home on the Danish motorship Canada, which will arrive here tonight or tomorrow morning. Miss Hall after visiting in England has been spending some time in Jamaica, visiting her mother, and returning to Victoria via the Panama Canal.

Mr. Denis Mason Hurley of Shav-nigan Lake, who is motoring through the United States, was in New Orleans for Mardi Gras. He wrote that the Mississippi was still five feet below the top of the levees at New Orleans, and no trouble was anticipated. Mr. Mason Hurley will visit Florida, Washington, New York and Montreal before returning to Vancouver Island.

A very pleasant afternoon was spent at the home of Mrs. J. N. Harper, Pine Street, in the form of a silver tea and donation party, under the auspices of St. Saviour's parish. Assisting Mrs. Harper were Mrs. H. Gard, Mrs. E. W. Healy and Mrs. T. H. Evans. Visitors during the afternoon were Rev. F. V. and Mrs. Venables, Mrs. T. J. Evans, Mrs. H. Vesey, Mrs. B. Temple, Mrs. A. H. Loftis, Mrs. H. Miner, Mrs. G. Renton, Mrs. Buray, Mrs. Willis, Mrs. Geoghegan, Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. Moon, Mrs. Edwards, Miss E. M. Baylis, Mrs. Barker, Miss E. Saunders, Mrs. C. F. Banfield, Miss M. Harper, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. C. H. White, Mrs. H. W. Hughes, Mrs. E. D. Stewart and Mrs. Aldridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Wyatt were "at home" to their friends at their home, Foul Bay Road, yesterday afternoon and evening on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary. Mr. Wyatt and the former Rosanna Newberry were married at London, Ontario, by Rev. Mr. Seaborn, in February, 1887, and have been residents of Victoria for thirty-eight years. Of their three children, one survives, their daughter, Miss Alice Wyatt, who resides with them. Tea was served during the afternoon from a table centred with daffodils and narcissi, and in the evening dinner was served, covers being laid for nine, after which four tables of court whist were in play. During the evening Mr. Lyons, on behalf of the assembled guests and friends in Vancouver, presented the venerable couple with a handsome fabric cushion, accompanied by a happy little speech of felicitation, to which Mr. Wyatt ably responded.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor, 2837 Graham Street, were hosts on Tuesday

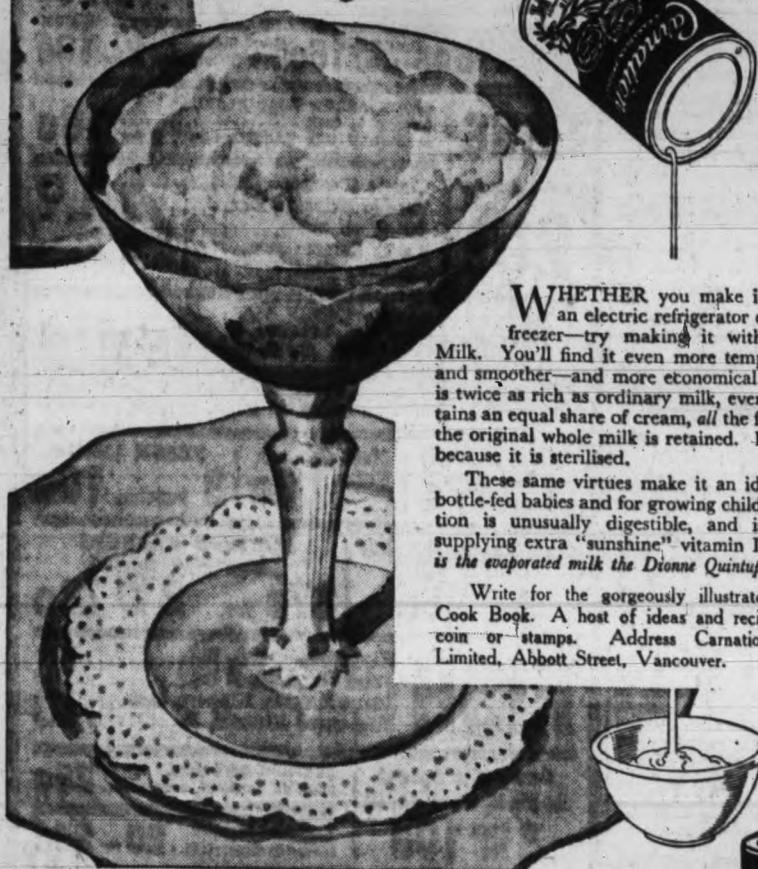


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Mrs. J. O. Cameron's Gift To Festival As Samuel Memorial

Mrs. J. O. Cameron, whose interest in musical circles is well known, has donated a trophy in memory of the late Mr. Harold Samuel, to be awarded for the highest marks in all Bach classes in the Victoria Musical Festival. Changes in the festival syllabus are announced as follows:

Class 10—Ladies' choir: B should read "Own Selection."

Class 68—Vocal solo: Should read "Girls under 13."

Class 103—Violin grade 2: Should read "Irish Air—Romance."

Class 145—Irish folk dances: Should read "(a) St. Patrick's Day Jig or 18th Hand Reel."

Free copies of "Junior Musician Classes" can be procured at Fletcher Bros. Music Store, Douglas Street.

Has Old Loaf From Paris Seige

West Summerland, B.C., Feb. 18 (Canadian Press).—Unwrapping a piece of bread that was baked more than half a century ago in France, aged Madame Hooner recounted still clear memories of the 1871 Prussian siege of Paris.

Sitting in the two-room shack where she lives with her bent, white-haired husband, Madame Hooner displayed a ration card bearing her name and the date of 1870, entitling the holder to a hand-out of horse-meat daily for one week.

"Then you wait," the elderly pensioner said, in broken accent as she produced a round, towel-wrapped parcel from a drawer. Peeling off the towel, three handkerchiefs and a piece of tissue paper she revealed a round piece of rock-hard, brownish bread, "Bone-meat bread," she explained. It was part of the rations distributed during the siege of Paris in the Franco-Prussian War. She hoarded it during the siege for dear even the meagre rations might be cut off. When the war was over she saved it as a relic.

The horse-meat card, the size of an ordinary postcard, bore the address of the depot where the rations were doled out. Divided into seven squares, it provided daily disbursements for one week. Five of the squares were checked off. Before the week was over the siege was lifted. Madame Hooner and her seventy-nine-year-old Belgian husband homesteaded in Manitoba before coming here in 1911.

Author's Wife



At European winter sports resorts, the continent's smartest women express marked individuality in their preferences for ski clothes, except in the preponderance of plus fours over the Norwegian type trousers so popular in Canada. Mme. Erich Remarque, wife of the author of the "All Quiet on the Western Front," presents a fetching appearance at St. Moritz, Switzerland, in white flannel plus fours and a single-breasted tailored brown jacket. Her heavy ski shoes carry out the brown and white theme.

Helen Wells on "The Natural Resources of British Columbia," Miss Ruth Whitehead on "The Art of Writing," and Miss Eugenie Cantwell on "Modern Transportation."

A general discussion of various points arising from the addresses was held. This programme will be continued at the next meeting, giving all members an opportunity to speak.

London Shows Striking Styles

Sequin Evening Coats, Suede Suits, Enormous Hats Seen

(Special Correspondence)

London, Feb. 18.—In an atmosphere of glamour and cocktails, British dress designers recently held their most important "opening." They are attempting to outstrip the Paris designers in the overseas and United States markets. With this in view, thirteen British designers, who are included in the Fashion Group of Great Britain, decided several months ago to co-operate—for the first time—in an early Spring Fashion Show.

Their enterprise met with great success. As a result of the original and daring designs shown at the opening, new orders are to be placed with London firms by buyers of international reputation from America and the Continent.

Lady Charles Cavendish (Fred Astaire's sister) opened the show, which was held at Claridge's Hotel.

4400 ASCOT MODEL

Both cost and beauty made one model particularly outstanding. It was an Ascot ensemble—worth more than \$400 (\$2,000). The dress and cape were made of yellow organdy, trimmed with a deep yoke-like cape edged with real Bird of Paradise plumes.

Eight years ago, the sale of such plumes was made illegal by law. The set which trimmed the gown had been in the vaults of a London bank ever since and had increased in worth until they are valued at nearly \$300. This particular set, it seems, is not affected by the law against Paradise plumes as they were taken from the birds and sold to dealers before the law was passed.

With her Ascot gown, the mannequin carried one of the new shaped square bags ornamented with sapphires. This bag alone was worth \$100.

The price of the dress itself, bare of the Paradise Plumes and such costly accessories, was \$25.

One of the most glamorous evening creations shown was an ankle-length glittering sequin evening coat, purple crimson in color and trimmed with superb brown fur bordering the entire front edge and hem.

A pale pink light-fitting evening gown, trimmed with sequins to match the coat, was shown for wear underneath.

SUEDE SUITS

In daring contrast came the suede suit, also advocated for Ascot. One suit, pink suede, was shown with a pink chiffon blouse to match. Another was royal blue and had a jaunty little striped blue blouse.

There were also shown cloaks with padded shoulders and open front. They had the great advantage, it was stressed, of being completely windproof.

Hats were so daring as to be fantastic. One had wings of white starched linen sticking out each side for about seven inches. They were attached to a little black lace mop cap and gave the effect of a Dutch peasant girl. Another as a black felt toque trimmed with a mass of white tulle falling in a fold at the back and a posy of red roses.

A third was a huge white cart-wheel hat with a shallow crown covered almost entirely by a huge beautifully-shaped rose. To secure the hat to the head, the mannequin wore a chin strap of pleated chiffon which tied under the chin in a bow.

High-crowned, as popular just recently, are going "out." In future, the hats will have low crowns, some square and many only half an inch deep.

WEDDINGS

DINDALE-LEWIN

Of interest to the bride's many friends in Victoria is the announcement of the marriage which took place on January 21 at St. Alban's Church, Bedford Park, London, England, of Lorna, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Lewin, Victoria, to Kenneth G. Dindale, Reigate, Surrey, England.

Entering the church to the strains of the organ, the bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. P. A. Lewin. She wore her traveling outfit, a smart suit of black with beige blouse over green, a chic black hat, silver fox fur, and a corsage bouquet of lilies of the valley and orchids.

After the ceremony, a reception was held at St. Ermine's Hotel, St. James's Park West.

Mr. and Mrs. Dindale left for a honeymoon in Switzerland, and will make their home at 125 Clifton Court, St. John's Wood, London.

Five Speakers At Venture Club

The Victoria Venture Club held its regular business meeting on Tuesday evening in the Scorpianist clubrooms, Courtney Street. The club accepted with regret the application of Miss Irma Falls for six months' leave of absence owing to ill-health. Miss Agnes Plitton was unanimously elected to the position of treasurer, vacated by Miss Falls.

As the study programme for the evening five very interesting short addresses were given. Miss Janet Graham spoke on "Women in Canadian Politics," Miss Agnes Plitton on "Disarmament and World Peace," Miss

Your Baby And Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

Bribes fall from our lips unconsciously. "I'll give you toys for mother, dear," the next time I go down to the nursery to get your something nice."

"Land sister your skates, Ellen and you can wear mother's pretty skis scarf to school."

"Jimmy is going to be very, very good when mother has company, isn't he? Afterwards if mother is very proud of you—she'll give you some of the party ice cream."

SUGGESTIVE TO CHILD

What are we really suggesting to the child? That we all try to be helpful to each other, generous in sharing and hospitable when company arrives? Not at all. Instead we are implying that all of these acts are something extra expected of the child, and therefore he deserves some extra reward for them.

Mothers do not get rewards for helping children pick up toys, why offer them to a child for doing what is his own task?

Why spoil a child's pleasure in sharing his possessions with sister and deny the child the opportunity of enjoying the sensation which follows unselfish generosity?

DEMANDS LARGER REWARDS

If Jimmy has to be bribed to be good when company is about, he is going to demand increasingly large rewards for future good behavior. He is not learning, as he should, that all children in the family share in the obligations to make company feel wanted and at home.

Bribes mask the child's growth of understanding of why he should be helpful, generous and friendly. Not for rewards and material considerations, which have no connection with his act, but because he is a member of a family and bound because of that to act as all members should act toward parents, sisters, brothers and friends.

Our leaflets on "Bribes for Good Behavior" may be had for a self-addressed, three-cent stamped envelope sent to Myrtle Meyer Eldred of the Your Baby and Mine department of this newspaper.

COULDN'T FOOL KITTY

Elmer Park, Ont. (Canadian Press).—Mrs. J. B. Sells, woodshed way, her house was refused to use the front door. On investigation she discovered a bob-cat had made its home under the steps.

Mary Astor Married Again

Elopes To Yuma With Latin-American

Associated Press

Mexicali, Lower California, Feb. 18.—Mary Astor, thrice a bride, kissed Manuel Del Campo goodbye today as the handsome insurance salesman left by airplane for Mexico City, less than two hours after their Yuma, Ariz., marriage. Miss Astor must return to Hollywood for a film engagement.

The twenty-five-year-old, Latin-American, who won the screen stars' recent weeks, was called to the Mexican capital by the death there yesterday of his father.

Following their secret marriage at Yuma, by Superior Judge Henry C. Kelly, after a chartered plane flight from Hollywood, the couple motored here to the Pan-American Airways terminus.

Confronted by reports of the surprise elopement, Miss Astor declared them "ridiculous."

"I simply accompanied Mr. Del Campo to Mexicali," she said, "to bid him farewell on his flight south, because of the sad tragedy of his father's death."

She left, shortly after the airliner's departure, for Yuma where her chartered plane was waiting.

At Yuma, the red-haired actress, once widowed and once divorced, identified herself to a county license clerk as Lucille L. Thorpe, thirty. Del Campo said he was twenty-five. Judge Kelly performed the wedding ceremony at his home at 4:30 a.m.

Following the marriage, the couple departed by automobile.

Miss Astor, born Lucille Langhorne, at Quincy, Ill., May 3, 1908, wore dark glasses and maintained determined silence on her brief marital dash through Yuma, the southwest "Oretha Green."

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TWO BABIES AT FOURTEEN

BYRON, Ill. (Canadian Press).—Speaking of young mothers, Mrs. Ben Jacobs had her first baby before she was twelve, and her second in 1935, before her fourteenth birthday.

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REVIVE SCOTCH PLAIDS

New York (Canadian Press).—The coming coronation of King George and his Queen has given a "Highland Fling" to fashions, afternoon frocks of brown and green Scotch plaid tartan being shown here.

TALK ENDS SEPARATION

Wimbledon, Eng. (Canadian Press).—Having talked things over on the

train going to the divorce court, Ralph Partridge and his wife announced a reconciliation and a fresh start in married life.

CHILDREN DESIGN PRINTS

New York (Canadian Press).—White dresses splashed with washboards and tubs, designed by children themselves, are shown in prints in the stores here.

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FIGURES BAD BREAK

Declarer Makes Game Contract by Playing So That He Should Lose Only One Trick in Trump

By WM. E. McKENNEY
It is perhaps human nature to hate to give up anything without a struggle, but the bridge player should learn to how to the inevitable and to cheerfully concede a trick, when the simplest of mathematical processes discloses that it must be lost. Sometimes this rather begrudging liberalism will assure him against the loss of two tricks, which might happen if he failed to adopt safety measures. In today's hand, the only problem facing declarer is how to limit his trump losses to one trick. He must lose one club and one diamond, regardless of how these suits are distributed, so the trump suit presents him with his sole brain teaser. South's strong bidding, considering his partner's bust response, perhaps was justified by the fact that neither side was vulnerable, and that after all, he needed little more than an ace and three small trumps in North's hand to make game. If North held more than a minimum, three no trump might be made.

Today's Contract Problem
South has the contract for four spades. East has won the first two heart tricks, and South is forced to ruff the third. How should he handle the trump suit to limit his loss to one trick, and so make his contract?

♠ A 8 4 3
♥ J 10 7
♦ Q J 5 3
♣ K 3
N
W
E
S
Dealer
♠ Q J 6 5
♥ 8 5 3
♦ 7 6
♣ 10 9 8 6
♠ K 10 7 2
♥ 9 2
♦ A K 4 2
♣ A 5 4
E & W vul. Opener—♥ K.
Solution in next issue. 16

was no way to play spades to avoid losing at least one trick. One way of playing the hand would be to lay down the ace and king, hoping that trumps held by East and West were divided three and three. South, however, saw a better way out. He won the opening lead with the ace, and then led a low spade to the jack. This play could cost little and gave him one additional chance to make the hand. If four trumps were bunched in the West hand.

West was on the spot. If he put up the queen, South then could pick up his trumps. If he did not pay the queen, the jack would win and later he could make only one trick, anyway.

Hoping that South had bid too much, he played low, and later won his one trump. Instead of the two he had hoped to make.

(Copyright, 1937, NEA Service, Inc.)
Jack Townsend, Douglas Hodgson and Steve Lookman.
The Victoria Male Choir, and its conductor, Frank Tupman, will cooperate with the Victoria Grand Opera Association in this production. There will be an augmented orchestra, and the special costumes have been designed and created by Vivienne Combe. Dorothy Wilson, of the Russian Ballet School, is training the group of bacchantes and nymphs for the opening scene.

Australians may decide to develop a whaling industry, since Norwegians and other whalers capture hundreds of whales off the western Australian coast.

Over 30,000 uses for rubber have been found.

Horthy Will Sing At Great Festival

Carl Horthy, native son of Victoria, who will sing the title role of Richard Wagner's "Tannhauser," being presented tomorrow and Saturday at the Empire Theatre by the Victoria Grand Opera Association, assisted by the Victoria Male Choir, has recently had high tribute paid to his voice. He has been invited to give a recital during this summer's Mozart Festival at Salzburg, Austria.

Dorothy Parsons will sing the role of Elisabeth. Other soloists will be Florence Gunn, Peggy Moore, Philip Heat, Arthur Jackman, Dave Hunter,

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Honor Memory Of Late Bishop

Services Held at Cathedral For Late Rt. Rev. A. J. Doull

The memory of the late Rt. Rev. Alexander John Doull, a former Bishop of Kootenay and from 1910 to 1915 rector and dean at Christ Church Cathedral here, was honored in special services held at the cathedral yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large congregation of old friends and parishioners.

The service, following the simple yet dignified Church of England order, was much the same as that used in memory of the late Bishop C. D. Schofield.

During the gathering of the congregation, the cathedral bells tolled a muffled peal, then Rev. E. O. Robb, then, assistant to the cathedral, and Rev. Alan Gardner, of St. Matthias' Church, officiated at the service, reading prayers and lessons.

The hymns sung were "Unto the Hills" and "Jesus Lives, Thy Terrors Now." The lesson was from the Wisdom of Solomon, chapter III, verses 1 to 9.

Bishop Doull, who passed away in hospital in Vernon last Sunday, came to Victoria as rector of Christ Church Cathedral in 1910. In 1915, in the same edifice, he was consecrated Bishop of the newly created diocese of Kootenay. In 1928 he went to England and became assistant Bishop of Sheffield. The next year, however, he returned to Canada through ill-health.

WANTS WIDER HEALTH PLAN

Organized Labor Says Insurance Scheme Should Include All

Labor's opposition to the Health Insurance Act of British Columbia as at present constituted was reiterated at a meeting of the Trades and Labor Council yesterday.

After hearing a report of a special committee which interviewed Alton Feebler, chairman of the commission, the labor body claimed the bill should be returned to the B.C. legislature with the recommendation it should be made applicable to everyone.

The council also favored deriving full revenue for the operation of the act from incomes, on a taxation basis, and not as at present planned.

In addition to these objections the delegates claimed the act did not propose assistance to those whom it should deal with primarily, namely, the indigents and part-time wage earners.

They felt labor could support no plan under which a man could no longer receive benefits when his period of employment terminated. In connection with present plans of the commission to proceed with the collection of levies, the meeting felt this should be put off in view of the possibility of the bill being delayed several months.

Other business discussed at the meeting included the status of recently-elected officers who were ousted at the last meeting when the credentials of J. W. Casey, new president, were questioned. It was reported the council was awaiting a decision on the ruling from the Trades Congress of Canada and in the meantime 1936 officers would act.

The strike of meat cutters and packers in the P. Burns plant at Vancouver was discussed and it was proposed to notify local members of the situation by circulating them with pamphlets.

Any condition which hinders return of blood from veins to heart, such as wearing a tight round garter, may cause permanent dilation of the veins—the condition known as varicose veins.

A new rubber paint is designed to protect metal surfaces from fumes or acids.

Gale Damage At Ladysmith

Ladysmith, Feb. 18.—A blizzard late Tuesday night, which later developed into a driving rainstorm from the southwest, caused minor damage on the waterfront here.

The wind gusts at times attained a velocity of fifty miles an hour, breaking boom sticks adrift from the log booms and sweeping spray fifty feet over the wharf trees.

With longshore crews standing by, work was impossible yesterday. Attempts to resume loading logs proved futile when, after a slight mid-day lull, the blizzard renewed its fury of wind and snow.

Power service was interrupted several times Tuesday evening for short periods, but all communications are functioning normally.

PORT ALBERNI

Port Alberni, Feb. 18.—Dr. G. B. and Mrs. Helen of Enderby, Okanagan, have arrived to take up residence here. Dr. Helen having become associated in practice with Dr. C. T. Hilton.

Mrs. J. A. McMillan is visiting Vancouver, called there by the serious illness of her mother Mrs. S. Chatwin, Point Grey Road.

Miss Evelyn Haines has returned from a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Haines, North Vancouver.

Mrs. R. Walsh was a hostess Monday evening in honor of the fourteenth birthday anniversary of her daughter Gerry.

Miss Joe MacDonald returned on

Indian's Gun Is Confiscated

Nanaimo, Feb. 18.—Ell Jones, Indian of No. 1 Reserve, was yesterday given suspended sentence and had his gun confiscated, following a charge of having shot a "butterball" duck, a migratory bird protected in the closed season. It is also against the law to shoot ducks at any time with a rifle.

A brother of the accused, Russell Jones, was charged with having interfered with Game Warden Frank Greenfield while discharging his duties and was remanded for one week.

At the University of California, a new treatment for hog cholera has been developed, in the form of a tissue vaccine, and it is proving effective.

About 800 species of fungus have been found in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park in North Carolina and Tennessee.

AIR FUTURE OF CITY SEEN

Victorians Must Fight For Logical Place on Plane Routes, Says O'Halloran

Victoria as the terminus for Trans-Canada Airways and the future hop-off point for a Trans-Pacific route was visualized by C. H. O'Halloran, K.C., in an address to Ward Five Liberal Association at headquarters last night.

But these things could not come about unless the people of Victoria made a determined effort and threw off the inertia that has lost for them many things in the past, said the speaker.

"When our material interests have been at stake we have not used our aggressiveness," he declared. "Equilibrium was chosen, during the latter part of last century, as the transcontinental railway terminus. The inertia of our people was the only reason that did not materialize."

Vancouver Island would be a strategic point in the airways of the world and nothing should be left undone to take full advantage of this. Flights were to commence next year over part of the Trans-Canada route. Vancouver had been chosen as the commercial terminus but an auxiliary air field was required either at Victoria, Yale or Hope because of the fog hazard at the terminal. The regional inspector had recommended Victoria.

MUNICIPAL AIRPORT

While it was thus anticipated Victoria would get an auxiliary airport this did not mean a municipal airport. Ottawa would give up to one-third of the cost for such a field but Victoria and the municipalities would have to contribute the rest.

Mr. O'Halloran spoke also of the adverse effect of tariffs on British Columbia and the province's claim for better terms in Confederation.

For the privilege of living in Canada people here paid from 30 to 35 per cent more than their neighbors in Washington, he said. The tariff made British Columbia's trading position unfair. It was against the province in buying but of no advantage in selling.

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Strawberry Vale

The monthly meeting of Wilkinson United women's auxiliary was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Campion, Wilkinson Road. Arrangements were made to hold an Easter tea and sale of work in the schoolroom on Thursday, March 25. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Quick, Wilkinson Road.

Weather Delays Nanaimo Bridge

Nanaimo, Feb. 18.—The protracted winter weather up the island is interfering with the work on the new Bastion Street bridge structure. After a lay-off of two weeks the Dominion Construction Company Ltd., contractors for the \$48,000 civic project, resumed work on Tuesday. The formwork is being proceeded with but the pouring of concrete is

Lawyers Check New Bunco Game

Nanaimo, Feb. 18.—With a list of names found on him when detained by police, a man spent the night in jail here following an attempt at a new bunco game.

He obtained names of lawyers of Nanaimo and told one he was the agent for a woman who wished to secure a divorce. She had \$600 in the bank and was willing to pay for freedom.

His story was good until he reached the point of having lost his wallet, containing \$18. He was to bring the client to the lawyer the following morning and in the meantime he said he needed \$2 to tide him over. It was given him and he departed for his next "victim." The same story was repeated, but in this instance he was put through a cross-examination, in which his replies did not tally. The lawyer became suspicious when the "touch" came for \$1. The lawyer obtained a receipt.

After he left the office the lawyer communicated with police, who checked the address given in Duncan, found it false and brought the man to the police station for questioning.

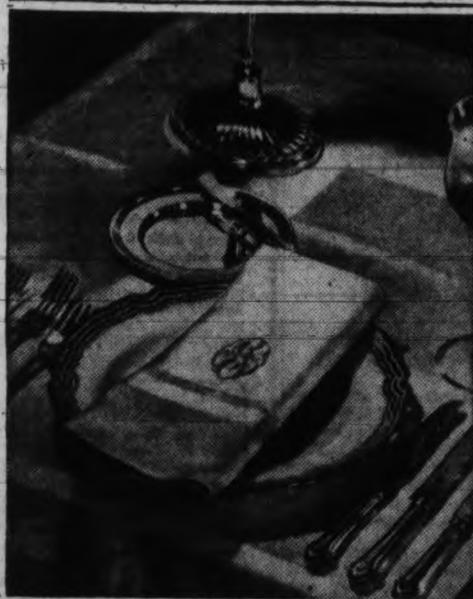
He was detained all night and on the restitution of the \$2 to the first lawyer and \$1 to the second was allowed to go, with advice to leave town immediately.

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delayed until the frost is out of the ground.

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Is it good taste to make any demonstration of affection in public? No. Resting one's arm on the back of a theatre seat, or audibly affectionate conversation in a public place is definitely bad taste. Any behavior which draws public attention and exhibits your feelings to the world violates the primary rules of good manners.



When should a child stand up? Children should be taught as early as possible to rise when an older person comes into the room, and to say, "How do you do, Mrs. Blank," if an introduction is made (a boy offers his right hand). And even quite young children can learn to say, "Yes, Mrs. Blank," or "No, thank you," instead of a short, discourteous "Yes" or "No."

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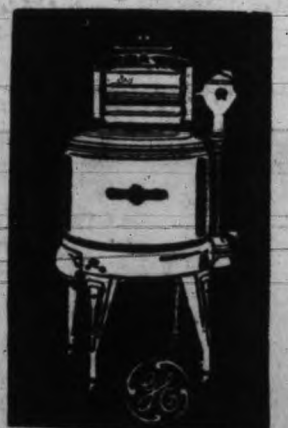
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A brief earthquake shock reported from Lassen Volcanic National Park, in California, was unusual in that it caused objects to rotate rather than move horizontally.

Esquimalt Group Defers Election

Ratepayers' Association
Plots Policy After Defeat
at Polls

Election of officers by the Esquimalt Ratepayers' Association, originally scheduled for a meeting held in St. Paul's Parish Hall last night, has been deferred until the evening of Wednesday, March 17.

The decision to postpone the election was reached last night after members had expressed the opinion that the meeting, attended by thirteen persons, was not sufficiently representative of the whole organization. Poor weather and sickness were blamed for the small attendance.

However, the position of the association following its defeat at the municipal polls was outlined to the meeting by Frank H. Rees, president. "Watch and wait" was the general tone of the policy which he set out. The defeat at the polls, he said, was in reality something of a victory in face of great opposition, and the general feeling of members was that although the association had been unable to maintain its representation on the council, it should carry on.

"We feel that sooner or later the time will come when there might be a call for us," he said.

WILL LAY LOW

The policy of the association, said Mr. Rees, would be one of laying low for the present, but watching the action of the council and gathering information which might be of use later.

He saw in the increase of the sewer rental charge from \$1 to \$1.50 per year an indication that the council might find itself financially pressed during the coming year.

Frederick G. Eaton, the association's candidate for the reevehip in the municipal elections, urged that the work of studying the possibility of obtaining library services for Esquimalt be continued.

The annual financial statement, presented by A. Neville Smith, showed a balance of \$10.34 at December 31, 1936.

HOUSING PLAN UNDER FIRE

Capt. W. E. Tapley Says
Federal Building Scheme
Unbalanced

The Dominion housing programme was criticized as unbalanced by Capt. W. E. Tapley before a meeting of Oak Bay Conservatives at 822 Newport Avenue, this week.

The programme, involving a \$50,000,000 expenditure, was to stimulate employment and encourage thirty wage-earners to build their own homes but, in his opinion, there was discrimination against people of modest salaries. He saw applications from some bona fide workers were rejected. Comparing the plan to the assisted building schemes in Great Britain, he said that restriction of the areas in which building might be done also made it unbalanced.

Brig. J. Sutherland Brown presided and arrangements were made to hold the next meeting on March 8 at his home, Bowker Place.

STORIES IN STAMPS

By I. S. Klein

SECOND TO WASHINGTON



Most fitting selection of a personality to be pictured alongside the portrait of George Washington, on the new one-cent army stamp, is that of General Nathaniel Greene, the "Quaker General," who is said to have been second in ability as a war leader only to the great revolutionary commander himself.

Son of a Quaker preacher, Greene shocked his fellow Quakers by joining the revolutionary army that was forming in 1774 to resist the troops of King George III. He was thirty-two then. Three years later he commanded the Rhode Island division of the army of Boston, as brigadier-general. At the Battle of Brandywine he saved the American forces from extermination. In 1780 he took command of the army of the South and the next year defeated the British in a decisive battle at Eutaw Springs, S.C.

For his successes, Georgia and the Carolinas awarded him grants of land, and Congress presented him with a medal of honor. Although highly honored when he returned to his home in Rhode Island, he retired with his family to his estate in Georgia. There, in 1786, at the age of forty-four, he died of sunstroke.

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Eggs, grade A large, doz. 29c	

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SIRLOIN STEAK, lb. 32c	VEAL CHOPS, per lb. 24c	SHOULDER, per lb. 17c
ROUND STEAK, lb. 28c	VEAL CHOPS, per lb. 23c	PORK CHOPS, per lb. 26c

H B C STANDARD BEEF	FRESH COD
RUMP ROAST, 19c	per lb. 17c
WING ROAST, 22c	FRESH BERRINGS 3 lbs. 20c
H B C RIB ROAST, 25c	DRESSED SOLES, lb. 18c
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Upsets Mark Second Round In Willows Title Badminton

THE SPORTS MIRROR

By PETE SALLAWAY

OLD FATHER TIME is pitching strikes past major league baseball catchers and age is catching them. And, unless the baseball bosses soon discover some bright young men teething on catchers' masks, it looks like they'll have to rewrite the rules to limit a team to eight men and do away with the receivers.

But, as we were saying, age is catching the catchers. The sixteen "boys" who will be entrusted with the receiving duties for major league clubs this coming term average thirty years of age and three of them are nigh onto that figure where life is supposed to begin.

Heading the parade down the hill to the sunset are Jimmy Wilson of the Phillies, who is thirty-seven; Gabby Hartnett of the Chicago Cubs, and Luke Sewell of the Chicago White Sox, both of whom are rising thirty-six. Not on their heels, and because of a nervous breakdown last year, threatening to beat them to the bottom of the hill, is Mickey Cochran, Detroit's spark plug who is beginning to sputter at the age of thirty-four.

The rest of the boys are coming along, too, and already have begun to think of being traded to the retired club. For instance, Gus Mancuso of the New York Giants, who is thirty-five, and Dick Farrell of the Boston Red Sox, Rolfe Henery of the St. Louis Browns, and Cliff Bolton of the Washington Nationals, all of whom are thirty.

Age, however, is not the only worry of big league owners. Illness and just plain downright minor league material have weakened the teams where the erosion of time hasn't been felt. Cleveland, for instance, is forced to struggle along again this year with sickly Frankie Fryck, who was able to catch only fifty-eight games last year when felled by a pitched ball, and Billy Sullivan, who was so impressive as his understudy last year that they are going to have him try third base this season. He won't do so much damage there, the Indian management believes.

And then over in Brooklyn the Dodgers are straining along with Babe Phelps, whose hitting doesn't make up for his slowness and other shortcomings. The Philadelphia Athletics have twenty-two-year-old Frank Hayes as a first-stringer, Frankie is promising. There's no telling when he's going to make good.

Most of the old gents—especially the most aged ones such as Gabby Hartnett—have been carrying their years most gracefully. To be sure, but, as the fellow walking the gangplank remarked, there's an end to everything. Catchers, you know, aren't babbling brooks—they can't go on forever.

And this is what is bothering the major league owners: When Cochran, et al, give out, who are going to take their places?

Two sure signs of the scarcity of capable receivers in the minors are the facts that the Cincinnati Reds is carrying Shanty Hogan, lumbering old National League, into the 1937 campaign as No. 2—and possibly No. 1—catcher, while a raw rookie named Arnold (Mickey) Owen of the St. Louis Cardinals' Columbus farm commands a \$100,000 price tag.

To give you an idea of how much money that is, the Giants bought a whole Class AA ball club for only about half of that.

Owen, according to reports, is by far the most promising youngster who will be taken to camp. He is given a good chance to beat out Brulse Ogdowski, the sophomore who shared the duties with Virgil (Spud) Davis last year.

Davis, heavy-footed, aging and at odds with Dug Egan, was sold to the Cincinnati Reds in a deal nobody could understand. Despite all his faults, Davis was the Cardinals' only experienced catcher and, even if the Cardinals wanted to get rid of him, why did they sell him to the Reds?

Why not the Giants? Bill Terry wanted Davis to help the tiring Gus Mancuso, whose supporting cast is pretty bad, and would have paid a good price.

The Reds, incidentally, appear to have the best catching staff in either league with Ernie Lombardi, long-driving regular, Gilly Campbell, swift and strong youngster, and the easy Dave working together.

But, of course, we'll still give you all three for Bill Dickey.

H. FORD SCORES FINE WIN OVER PAT COLCLOUGH

R. A. Phillips turns Back Reg Corfield in Extra Set 18-14, 7-15, 15-6

Friday's Draw Is Announced

Upsets and hard competition marked the second round of play last night in the annual championship tournament of the Willows Badminton Club. In the men's open singles H. Ford scored a surprise victory over Pat Colclough 15-7, 15-10. After three stirring sets R. A. Phillips eliminated Reg Corfield 18-14, 7-15, 15-6.

The two other matches in that division saw D. Davis turn back I. Phillips 15-5, 15-5, and E. T. Simmons whip A. Pitkethley 15-9, 15-11. In the only match played in the women's singles Dorothy Morley defeated Miss M. Blackburn in straight sets 11-2, 11-0.

Another upset was seen in the men's open doubles when A. Pitkethley and Pat Colclough eliminated the strong combination of Reg Corfield and E. T. Simmons. After dropping the first set at 9-15, the former pair rallied to take the next two 15-13, 15-10.

In another three-set engagement Gladys McCall and Corfield advanced in the mixed doubles at the expense of Miss M. Hughes and Simmons 15-8, 8-15, 15-9.

Play will continue tomorrow evening with the finals on Saturday.

RESULTS
Last night's results follow:
MEN'S OPEN SINGLES
D. Davis won from I. Phillips 15-5, 15-5.
H. Ford won from P. Colclough 15-7, 15-10.
R. A. Phillips won from W. E. Corfield 18-14, 7-15, 15-6.
E. T. Simmons won from A. Pitkethley 15-9, 15-11.

WOMEN'S OPEN SINGLES
Miss D. Morley won from Miss M. Blackburn 11-2, 11-0.

MEN'S OPEN DOUBLES
A. Pitkethley and P. Colclough won from W. E. Corfield and E. T. Simmons 9-15, 15-13, 15-10.

WOMEN'S OPEN DOUBLES
Misses K. Williams and B. Nelson won from Misses I. Benson and M. Campbell 15-13, 15-5.

Miss M. Hughes and Miss G. McCall won from Miss P. Jackson and Miss M. Barber-Stark 15-6, 15-11.

MIXED OPEN DOUBLES
Miss G. McCall and Corfield won from Miss M. Hughes and Simmons 15-8, 8-15, 15-9.

Mrs. MacDonald and Davis won from Miss M. Blackburn and H. Ford 15-7, 15-1.

Miss P. MacDonald and J. P. Phillips won from Miss D. Morley and R. A. Phillips 15-7, 15-17.

MEN'S DOUBLES HANDICAP
J. C. and Hugh MacDonald (scr) won from D. Angus and I. Phillips (-4) 15-11, 15-6.

P. Colclough and Jervis Read (-3) won from W. Dunbar and J. P. Phillips (-10) 15-1, 15-10.

W. Keatts and H. Ford (-8) won from H. S. Platt and R. Wilkins (-4) 15-14, 8-15, 15-7.

J. Watson and D. Davis (-5) won from J. C. and Hugh MacDonald (scr) 15-14, 15-12.

D. Philbrick and E. Pangman (-2) won from G. H. Walker and J. Gray (-4) 15-11, 8-15, 15-9.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES HANDICAP
Miss M. Ryall and Miss M. Blackburn (-2) won from Mrs. MacDonald and Miss Morley (-7) 12-15, 15-11, 15-4.

Miss Y. Archibald and Miss P. MacDonald (-2) won from Misses J. and M. French (-2) 15-11, 15-9.

Misses R. Watson and H. Benson (-2) won from Misses B. and Benson (-2) won from Miss Baldwin and Miss R. M. Hutchon (+10) 15-12, 15-12.

MIXED DOUBLES HANDICAP
Miss M. Unsworth and Pangman (+8) won from Miss T. Ackerman and R. Ferguson (+4) 15-6, 15-14.

Miss K. Grogan and D. Davis (-9) won from Miss M. Ryall and Jervis Read (+3) 15-7, 15-9.

Miss P. MacDonald and H. MacDonald (-3) won from Miss M. Fraser and G. H. Walton (+2) 15-11, 15-9.

Miss M. French and A. Pitkethley (-5) won from Miss R. Watson and J. Watson (-1) 15-15, 15-10, 15-14.

Misses M. Unsworth and I. Ellis (+8) won from Miss K. Williams and Miss M. Hughes (-5) 15-8, 15-14.

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Varsity Cagers Are in Final

Vancouver, Feb. 18.—Varsity's basketball squad last night defeated Forsts 51 to 39 in the second game of the Inter-city League championship semi-finals, earning the right to meet Province in the final. At halftime the score stood at 35 to 12 for Varsity.

Jim Hardley counted eighteen of Varsity's points, sixteen of them in the first half, while Ran Mathison scored thirteen and Ralph Henderson twelve.

Chuck Holmes scored ten and Emmett Ritchie nine for Forsts.

SOOKE CAGERS VICTORS ONCE

Lose Intermediate B Game But Win Senior C Battle in Play-offs

Sooke cagers secured a win and a loss last night when they met city squads in play-off of a two-game total-point series for the intermediate B boys championship, Canadian Scottish swamped Sooke, 46 to 10. When the Klitties travel to Sooke for the second game they will have a thirty-six-point advantage.

Hudson's Bay was beaten 37 to 17 by the Sooke senior C quintette in the second game of their play-off. The win advanced the suburban five to the next round of the island play-offs. Sooke took the floor with a fifteen-point lead.

Playing in an exhibition game West Saanich Mercantiles measured Moyle-Brown, city senior B titheholder, for a 39 to 37 defeat after a hard and close battle.

Wally Stipe and Bom Macpurchie refereed.

The teams and scores follow:
Sooke-Lormier (2), Strong, Pontious (3), Blight, Richardson (1), Arden, Syrett, Duncan (3), Calmes, Stoth. Total 10.

Canadian Scottish—Myrae (9), Lovell (9), B. Martin (5), S. Martin, Purdy, McCall, Whyte (6), Pricker (12), Fair (4). Total 46.

West Saanich Mercantiles—Sluggert, Charles Sluggert, Clarence Sluggert (2), K. Young (5), G. Lannon (20), C. Cunningham (2), C. Paulson (4), R. Mitchell (6). Total 39.

Hoyle-Brown—Elliott (6), Fleming (2), Jones (4), Robertson, Morgan, Patterson (4), Levy, Bradley (1), Campbell (3), Goldsmith (8). Total 37.

Sooke—D. Michelsen (6), M. Michelsen (3), C. Dilley (6), E. Michelsen (4), E. Geddes (17), Thompson (37), Poulous, Davidson, Jordan, Total 51.

Hudson's Bay—Wilkinson (10), McDonald (4), Riddle, Glover, Arnott (2), Renfrew, Baker (1), Foster, Sudegen. Total 17.

WRESTLING
Rochester, N.Y.—Lee Wyckoff, 230, Missouri, defeated Dick Shlat, 235, Philadelphia (two of three falls).

Hazleton, Pa.—Ernie Dusek, 228, Omaha, defeated Eli Fischer, 226, Brooklyn. (Fischer fell from ring, unable to continue.)

ANDERS VS. CANZONERI
New York, Feb. 18.—The New York State Athletic Commission yesterday approved a fifteen-round title bout between Lou Ambers, lightweight champion, and Tony Canzoneri, former titleholder, at Madison Square Garden, April 2.

Will Seek Island Titles

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Winners of City Basketball Championship



who have been crowned intermediate B boys' basketball champions of the city, piling up a fine season's record in the Victoria and District League. Opening the campaign for island honors the Scottish defeated Sooke last night in the first of a total-point two-game series. Those in the above picture from left to right, are: Back row, Carl Coates, coach; B. Martin, Wally Pricker, John Myrae, Bill Lovell, Doug Whyte, and "Colie" Chambers, manager; front row, Jim Purdy, captain; Graham McCall, S. Martin and Jim Fair.

Steele In Great Shape For Fight

NEW BASEBALL LOOP FORMED

Vancouver Gets Franchise in Western International League

Tacoma, Feb. 18.—A six-team circuit, to give northwest fans the highest rated baseball in many years, was organized today, after a meeting of club representatives here last night.

The loop, to be known as the Western International League, will include Vancouver, B.C., Lewiston, Ida., Spokane, Tacoma, Yakima and either Walla Walla or Wenatchee, the sixth team to be named tomorrow, sponsors said.

R. W. Peck, Tacoma banker and one time college athletic coach, was elected president, and Hunky Shaw, Yakima sporting goods dealer, vice-president. Peck will appoint a secretary-statistician and a treasurer.

The northwest's other circuit, the Northwest League, which is of a lower rating, in organized baseball until the new loop, will continue to operate, the teams playing two or three games a week. The teams are Tacoma, Bellingham, Yakima, Olympia, Bremerton and Shelton.

In their first meeting Steele gained a verdict over Risko in an over-weight match. Later they fought for the championship in Seattle, the Tacoma boy dropping the Babe for a short count with a left hook and going on to win impressively.

In that set-to Risko tried to carry the fight to Steele, but has indicated in gym sessions here that he may let Freddie come to him, counting on coming out on top on the exchange of counter-blows.

A brisk ticket sale promises a neat capacity turnout for the middle-weight struggle.

HOCKEY STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Canadian Section
W. L. D. P. A. P.
Canadiens 22 12 3 100 86 47
Montreal 14 9 3 81 82 38
Toronto 14 18 2 88 91 31
Americans 11 22 4 81 117 26

American Section
W. L. D. P. A. P.
Detroit 19 9 8 86 73 46
Rangers 14 9 3 84 82 38
Boston 17 5 8 87 81 29
Chicago 10 19 8 86 77 26

COAST LEAGUE
W. L. D. P. A. P.
Portland 16 11 5 74 56 37
Vancouver 13 11 5 88 78 34
Seattle 12 15 7 74 82 29
Spokane 10 15 7 64 82 27

Men's Par Event At Oak Bay Links

The sixth men's monthly par competition, eighteen holes, with three-quarters handicap allowance, will be played on Sunday at the Victoria Golf Club.

Competitors will choose their opponents and arrange for their start times. Post entries will be accepted.

Normal School Girls Victors

The Normal School girls hoop squad yesterday afternoon emerged with a

Kimberley Scores Smashing Victory

Vines Beaten In Home Town

Associated Press
Long Beach, Cal., Feb. 18.—Ellsworth Vines and Fred Perry transferred their tennis feud to Long Beach tonight for their twenty-first match.

Perry bested Vines in three sets before a capacity crowd of 2,500 last night in the latter's home town, Pasadena.

The Englishman's 8-10, 6-3, 7-5 victory was his ninth of the cross-country jaunt. Vines has won eleven.

CONTINUE PLAY IN Y TOURNEY

Favorites Advance in Y.M.C.A. Shuttle Meet; Finals Carded Saturday

Favorites advanced as play continued in the Y.M.C.A. Badminton Club tournament at the club courts, View Street, yesterday evening. Ivan Temple and Dick Martin won from E. Smith and W. Clarke in the men's doubles in one of the hardest fought matches of the evening. The scores were 15-11, 15-13.

In the women's doubles handcap division Margaret Heap and Lillian Bethel took the measure of Edith Hodges and Marion Alexander in a stiff three-set encounter, 15-11, 15-15, 15-9.

All finals will be played Saturday at which time presentation of prizes will be made.

Complete results and the draw for tomorrow evening are as follows:
WOMEN'S SINGLES
Miss M. June won from Jane Caldwell, 11-7, 11-7.

MEN'S SINGLES
Dick Martin won from Ivan Temple, 15-13, 15-6.

MEN'S DOUBLES
Temple and Martin won from Smith and Clarke, 15-11, 15-13.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES
Mabel June and Peggy Cheer won from A. Hanson and J. Caldwell, 15-6, 15-4.

MIXED HANDICAP DOUBLES
Peggy Cheer and Ivan Temple (-10) won from Jane Caldwell and Sam Hill (-7), 15-9, 15-13; Marion Alexander and J. White (-1) won from Evelyn Bell and W. Dyson (-12), 15-10, 13-15, 15-19; Lillian Bethel and W. Clarke won from M. June and Beth Fraser, 15-7, 15-6.

WOMEN'S HANDICAP DOUBLES
Margaret Heap and Lillian Bethel won from Edith Hodges and Marion Alexander, 15-11, 15-15, 15-19; J. Caldwell and E. Bell won from I. Crawford and E. Johnston, 15-11, 15-14.

MIXED OPEN DOUBLES
M. June and A. Slocomb won from L. Bethel and W. Clarke, 15-13, 15-6.

MEN'S HANDICAP DOUBLES
Hill and Sharpe (-3) won from Smith and Martin (-2), 15-7, 15-7; Dick Martin and I. Temple (-10) won from Dyson and Clarke (-2), 15-11, 15-9.

TOMORROW'S DRAW
7.30—A. Hanson and H. Sharpe vs. Muriel Noel and E. Smith; Isabel Crawford and W. Martin vs. Temple and Cheer.
8.00—Bethel and Clarke vs. winner of Crawford and Martin vs. Temple and Cheer; M. Alexander and J. White vs. winner of H. Sharpe and A. Hanson vs. M. Noel and B. Smith.
8.30—J. White vs. H. Sharpe; A. Slocomb vs. Dick Martin.
9.00—Hill and Sharpe vs. White and Slocomb.

HOCKEY RECEIVER
New York, Feb. 18.—Federal Judge Francis G. Caffey, yesterday granted a motion for a receiver for William W. Dwyer, sports promoter, who once owned New York Americans of the National Hockey League outright. At present he is an officer of that defunct club.

The receiver was asked by Augustine F. Meeker, judgment creditor to whom \$7,689.25 and interest is due in an admiralty proceeding.

21 to 5 victory over the Y.W.C.A. in a women's league match played at the Y.M.C.A. gym.

The teams and scores follow:
Normal School—A. Walker 10, J. Paynter 6, E. Watchorn 5, M. White, W. Milne, B. Bowman and C. Manson. Y.W.C.A.—K. Cameron 4, M. Bambrick 2, A. Craig, B. Mowatt, M. White, B. Binnington 3, O. French and J. Drummond.

Maroons Will Engage Boston

Two Rugged Major Hockey Teams Meet Tonight; Rangers Tackle Chicago

The Boston Bruins and Montreal Maroons, a couple of clubs which figure to stir up a lot of trouble in the coming playoffs, meet tonight in the feature clash on a three-game National Hockey League programme.

They are the hottest outfits in the league right now. The Bruins have won three straight in a drive that has carried them into a tie with the New York Rangers for second place in the American division. The Maroons are unbeaten in their last six starts and are the only team given any kind of a edge in the chase after the Montreal Canadiens in the international division.

The Detroit Red Wings, who haven't won in their last three starts and are now only seven slim points in front of the Ranger-Boston second-place deadlock, take on Toronto's Maple Leafs in another of tonight's battles.

The Rangers go up against the Chicago Black Hawks.

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FRED APOSTOLI BEATS KRIEGER

San Francisco Bellboy Back in Running For Crack at Steele's Title

New York, Feb. 18.—Fred Apostoli, the "belting bellboy" from San Francisco, moved into the middleweight title picture today after a decisive ten-round victory over the heavy hitting Solly Krieger of Brooklyn.

Apostoli, making his second New York appearance last night before 4,500 fans, impressed ringsters with his sharpshooting ability in stoning for a previous setback here at the hands of Ken Overlin.

Before making any gestures in the direction of the middleweight champion, Freddie Steele of Tacoma, Apostoli said today he wanted to square accounts with Overlin, whose victory on points over the western youth was considered questionable by many experts.

STEELE FIGHTS TOMORROW
Steele, who knocked out Apostoli on the coast, defends his 160-pound crown tomorrow night at Madison Square Garden against a former titleholder, Eddie (Babe) Risko.

"Krieger is a harder puncher than Steele," said Apostoli, "but he doesn't hit as fast or as often as the champion."

After battering Krieger for eight of the first nine rounds, Apostoli sustained a bad gash in the corner of his right eye in the last round and finished under difficulties.

"I was lucky that accident didn't happen earlier," said Apostoli, "Krieger's body punches had me a bit worried."

Krieger won the third and tenth rounds, Apostoli all the others, on the Associated Press score card. There were no knockdowns.

Soccer Workout
A workout of the Victoria City first division football team will be held this evening at the Veterans of France at 8 o'clock.

Joe Louis Gains Fourth-round Knockout Over Natie Brown

Count Weary Natie Out When He Sits Down On Canvas

Customers Figure Main Knockout Handed to Their Pocketbooks

Weak Start Has Burlesque End

By WHITNEY MARTIN
Kansas City, Feb. 18.—Joe Louis' victory over Natie Brown was booked as a fourth-round knockout today but more than a few of the 10,222 spectators at the Bomber's one-night stand here thought the real rayo was to their pocketbooks.

They paid \$27.138 to see the Bomber pounce upon his maimed prize last night at the expense of the punch-weary Washington Hebrew, who provided a burlesque ending.

It was Louis' first start since his unfortunate foot race with young Bob Foster, who won a championship ship with him in the offing. Louis had to be the Bomber of old against Brown.

The bout was as dull as the expressionless eyes of Louis. For two rounds, Brown carried the fight to the Bomber, but neither man landed a punch hard enough to dent a grapefruit.

Midway in the third round Louis caught Brown coming in and flung him with short rights and lefts. Brown's face began to assume a well cushioned appearance.

SANK TO FLOOR
The fourth was Louis' round. He started at the gong, driving in a barrage of rights and lefts. Fifteen times the Bomber bombed without answering fire. Finally the weary Natie sank to the floor in a sitting position.

Louis ambled to a neutral corner. Referee Walter Bates started counting, ceased abruptly as the apparently groggy Brown grabbed him by a leg and pulled him over.

Brown staggered to his feet and weaved an uneasy way toward the unconscious Louis. Before Brown could make it, Bates recovered his footing, took a short cut to Louis and hoisted him to a sitting position.

Bates said the timekeeper had completed the count before Brown regained his feet.

For his brief exercise last night Louis and his stockholders received \$6,226.84. Brown's cut was \$5,210.

A round by round description of the fight follows:

ROUND ONE
They left their corners slowly and circled about in centre of the ring. Bates looked for openings. Brown shot a light left into a clinch with Louis' chin. They fell into a clinch and were parted by Referee Walter Bates. Louis was doing no leading. He finally shot two quick straight lefts which landed but did no damage. Brown crossed his right to the head lightly. They exchanged simultaneous left jabs and Brown was short with a right. Louis shot a left hook to the body, the first hard blow of the fight, but Brown came back with a looping right to

the ear. They were sparring cautiously at the bell.

The round was even.

ROUND TWO
Brown came out fast and met Louis near his corner. Brown connected with a looping right to Louis' ear but there was little steam behind the punch. Louis appeared to be stalking Brown awaiting a chance to deliver a lethal wallop. Brown carried the fight to Louis in a brief flurry of punches in the corner of the ring. Brown circled Louis who dropped back from a left head. Brown connected with a left to the body but Louis crossed his left to the chin. There was little power in the punch, however. Brown connected with lefts and rights to the body. Louis backed him against the ropes but Brown fought his way clear. Louis began to connect with short lefts and rights to the chin but Brown weathered the storm well. It was Brown's round.

ROUND THREE
Brown was boxing from a crouch, his chin well protected by his left shoulder. Louis continued to stalk the Washington fighter but was unable to land a convincing blow. They both missed short uppercuts coming out of a clinch. They exchanged body blows at close quarters with Brown apparently having the edge. He swung a looping left to Louis' jaw, but Louis' expression unchanged, rode with the punch. Louis began to connect with hard lefts and rights to the face and Brown came into him. Brown covered his face with his gloves and suddenly ripped over a solid right to the body. It was Louis' round.

ROUND FOUR
They met in the centre of the ring and Louis connected with rights and lefts to the head. Brown's face was becoming puffy. Brown went to the ropes. A hard right sent Brown down in an attempt to regain his feet. Bates rushed over and awarded the fight to Louis on a technical knockout.

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STRANGE AS IT SEEMS

—By John Hix



ANDREW JOHNSON

With Northern opinion howling for punishment of the South for their rebellion in the Civil War and the subsequent assassination of Abraham Lincoln, the impeachment of Andrew Johnson as 17th president of the United States met with the high approval of inflamed retribution seekers. Before taking office, Johnson had openly expressed his opinion that the South should pay dearly for their attempted break from the Union.

On becoming President, however, Johnson speedily reversed this policy, probably due to the influence of the fair-minded William Seward, Secretary of State. Substituting Lincoln's plans for reconstruction of the South in place of revenge, Johnson was not as successful as his predecessor in

his efforts. Almost the entire legislative branch of the government immediately aligned themselves against him. His notorious lack of diplomacy, his extravagant speeches and his radical nature totally unfitted him for the job.

Congress over-ruled the President's veto on several measures, fought with him on every issue and made his position as uncomfortable as possible. Finally came the opportunity they awaited. The President dismissed from his cabinet Secretary of War Stanton in violation of the Tenure of Office Act. In February, 1868, the House of Representatives voted to impeach him, the only time in United States history that a President was ever impeached. Tried by the Senate, Johnson escaped removal from office

by the vote of one man. The prosecution failed to win the required two-thirds majority by a vote of thirty-five to nineteen. Johnson's presidential term ended the following year.

In 1875 he was elected to a seat in the U. S. Senate by Tennessee. He died in July of the same year.

COUNT OF THE STABLE
"Constable" originates from the Latin words "comes-stabuli," meaning "thane of the stable," a position of great honor in the middle ages. In Old French it became "constable" and evolved to its present form when taken into the English language.

Tomorrow: The Government of Women!

KUMREIGH IN RACE VICTORY

Captures Opener at Santa Anita Track to Pay Backers \$50 For \$2

Los Angeles, Feb. 18.—Case Ace galloped to an easy win in a final time-up yesterday for the \$30,000 Santa Anita Derby next week, sprinting the six furlong race in 1:11 3/5.

Ethel V. Marx's crack three-year-old finished two and a half lengths ahead of L. W. Kidd's Sky Wind. Hondo was third.

The race marked Case Ace's first appearance of the year at Santa Anita track.

Case Ace paid only \$2.50, \$2.50 and \$2.50. Sky Wind paid \$19.40 and \$2.40. Hondo \$2.50.

Results follow:
First race—Three furlongs: Kumreigh (Saunders)—\$2.50 \$2.50 \$2.50; Herodius (Gilbert)—\$2.50 \$2.50 \$2.50; Mizel (Wood)—\$2.50 \$2.50 \$2.50; Time, 1:11 3/5. Also ran: Greenleaf, Alton, Carefully, Fintimada, Gold Color, Key Ben, Rain Bearer, Rich Daddy, Inbar, Goldie Pride.

Second race—One mile: Little Son (Robertson)—\$2.50 \$2.50 \$2.50; Bounce (Guyon)—\$2.50 \$2.50 \$2.50; Valina (Dawson)—\$2.50 \$2.50 \$2.50; Time, 1:11 3/5. Also ran: Beadwork, Wee Santa, Commoner, Comad, Poco Diablo, Lasda.

Third race—Six furlongs: Early Times (Corbett)—\$2.50 \$2.50 \$2.50; High Pressure (Robertson)—\$2.50 \$2.50 \$2.50; No Name (James)—\$2.50 \$2.50 \$2.50; Time, 1:11 3/5. Also ran: Lady Beane, Sleep Well, Pipe Down, Waseah, Tuley, Lady Valorous, Boomtown, The Wink, Mary's Boy.

Fourth race—Six furlongs: Case Ace (Robertson)—\$2.50 \$2.50 \$2.50; Sky Wind (Dawson)—\$2.50 \$2.50 \$2.50; Hondo (Deamillas)—\$2.50 \$2.50 \$2.50; Time, 1:11 3/5. Also ran: Lady Beane, Sleep Well, Pipe Down, Waseah, Tuley, Lady Valorous, Boomtown, The Wink, Mary's Boy.

Boxing
Kansas City—Joe Louis, 206, Detroit, stopped Natie Brown, 190 1/2, Washington (4).
New York—Fred Apostoli, 180 1/2, San Francisco, outpointed Solly Kruger, 180 1/2, Brooklyn (10).
San Francisco—Al (Big Boy) Bray, 206, Los Angeles, outpointed Lee Savoldi, 182, St. Paul (8); Marty Simmons, 169, Saginaw, Mich., stopped Pietro, 169, Buffalo, N.Y. (10).

Colonies Plan Declared Error

Canadian Press
London, Feb. 18.—Lord Beaverbrook's London Daily Express published an "open letter" today to Baron Noel-Buxton, Labor peer who proposed a redistribution of colonies under the mandates system in the House of Lords yesterday.

The letter read:
"My Dear Lord Comrade:
"You made a speech yesterday asking us to put all our colonies on the same footing as mandated territories, that is, with equal trading rights therein for all foreigners. The open door principle, you said, would help avoid trouble with Germany."

"Why should it? Germany is not asking to have all colonies on that basis. She is asking to have colonies that are now on that basis (that is, her former possessions now mandated) transferred to herself with the avowed intention of promptly applying the closed door principle to everyone except herself."

"One day, doubtless after the next war, the Socialist Party will wake up to the proposition you cannot buy off those who threaten you by offering them something they do not want."

"Fraternal yours,
"Express"

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THE NEXT MORNING IN AN EFFORT TO MAKE HIS UNCLE FORGET HIS TROUBLES, ALLAN SUGGESTS THAT THEY SPEND THE DAY FISHING ON A NEARBY STREAM...

OVERTIME IN HOOP CLASH

Victoria High School Blacks Score 20 to 18 Win Over Normal Five

Overtime was necessary to decide the winner of basketball game between the Victoria High School Blacks and the Normal School Tuesday in the High School gym.

The Blacks finished on the long end of a 20 to 18 score. At half time the Blacks were leading 5 to 3. When the whistle blew for full time the teams were deadlocked 16 to 16.

D. Bray and Bob Malcolm refereed. Teams and scores follow:
Normal—J. Church, G. Donaldson

10. R. Jones 8, B. Reid 8, L. Gillis, E. Lavis, L. Main, W. Hall, Blackie—P. Smar, G. Bryson 2, F. Mylrea 4, H. Morrison 12, J. Adam, F. Tiedale, P. Beare.

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Seattle Defeats Hockey Leaders

Hal Tabor's Goal in First Period Gives Sea Hawks Hard-fought Victory Over Portland; Tighens Race in Pacific Coast League

Canadian Press
Seattle, Feb. 18.—The race to overtake the fast stepping Portland Buckaroos at the top of the Pacific Coast Hockey League ladder tightened up somewhat today with Seattle Sea Hawks two points closer the second-spot Vancouver Lions.

The Sea Hawks apparently decided to drop their turn-about juggling with Spokane Clippers for last place and protected a lone first period goal tightly enough last night to make it good for the decision over Portland.

The result lifted the Sound City squad to three points ahead of Spokane and within four points of the Lions. The Buckaroos still hold down the top rung another three markers in front of the Canadian club.

A three-man rush gave Sea Hawks their lone but winning goal of the game at the halfway mark in a rather colorless first period.

Johnny Newman hooked the puck at his own blue line to break up a Portland attack and hurried down the ice. Just inside the blue line he slithered the disc across to Sammy McAdam and the veteran forward after pulling the Portland defence out of position passed on to Hal Tabor who was parked in front of the Portland net and had no trouble beating Goalsie Andy Altanhead.

STUBBORN DEFENCE
The Blues eased along for the rest of the period but started to step up the pace in the second. Repeated front line attacks failed to get past the stubborn Seattle defence and in the third the Portland manager, Bobby Rowe, ordered four and five-man rushes.

They failed to click, however, against Goalsie Emmett Venne, and his tightly packed rearguard but luck helped the Sea Hawks on one occasion.

Portland took the play into Seattle territory, pulled the defence out in an attempt to break up the attack. Norm Pridham, former Vancouver defenceman, drove a slider at the wide open net but Dave Downie whirled in behind the helpless Venne and the puck struck on the leg and glanced harmlessly into the corner.

It was the last set-up the Buckaroos had as the Sea Hawks tightened up. Teams follow:
Portland—Altanhead, Sutherland, Pridham, Oulette, Schafre, Bessler; subs: Gilmore, Blythe, Martin and Couper.

Seattle—Venne, Gilhooley, Hotway, McAdam, Tabor, Newman; subs: Mulen, Downie, Proudlock and Whittell. Officials—Jack Weather and Pete Sende.

SUMMARY
First period—1, Seattle, Tabor (McAdam-Newman), 10-34.
Second period—No score.
Third period—No score. Penalties: Pridham, Oulette, Proudlock (2), and Downie.

Fresh fruits such as grapes, apples and pears, are being carried to interior points in Columbia by air express.

A bacteriologist explains that vegetables that have been frozen are not spoiled or poisoned but they are more liable to spoilage.

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UPSETS MARK SECOND ROUND IN WILLOWS TITLE BADMINTON

(Continued From Page 11)
Miss G. McCall and Philbrick (—8) won from Miss R. McHutchon and Aylmer (+10) 15-18, 15-12.

All players still in are requested to be on hand as other matches will be scheduled.

FRIDAY'S DRAW
8 p.m.—D. Davis vs. R. Ford.
R. A. Phillips vs. E. T. Simmons.
Miss G. McCall vs. Miss M. Hughes.
Miss D. Morley vs. Miss P. MacDonald.

Miss R. Norton and D. McClure vs. Miss P. Jackson and W. E. Corfield.
Miss M. Unsworth and E. Pangman vs. Miss K. Williams and A. Phillips.
8:30—Miss K. Grogan and D. Davis vs. Miss J. Tweed and H. Ford.
Miss M. Barber-Starkey and P. Colclough vs. Miss French and A. Pitkethley.

D. McClure and R. Ferguson vs. D. Philbrick and E. Pangman.
Miss M. Unsworth and Miss Blackburn vs. Miss Y. Archibald and Miss P. MacDonald.
Miss D. McCall and Miss P. Jackson vs. Mrs. Baird and Miss M. Fraser.
9 p.m.—Miss D. Morley and J. Gray vs. Miss Blackburn and A. Mustart.
W. Knotts and H. Ford.
9:30 p.m.—Miss M. French and Miss Blackburn vs. Miss M. Hughes and Miss G. McCall.
Miss K. Williams and Miss B. Nelson.

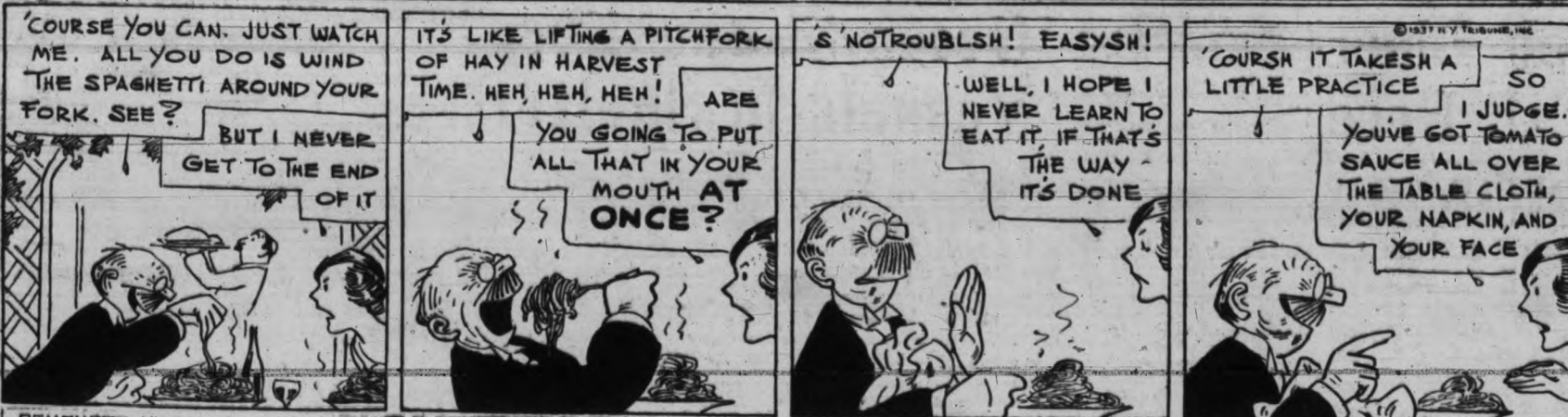
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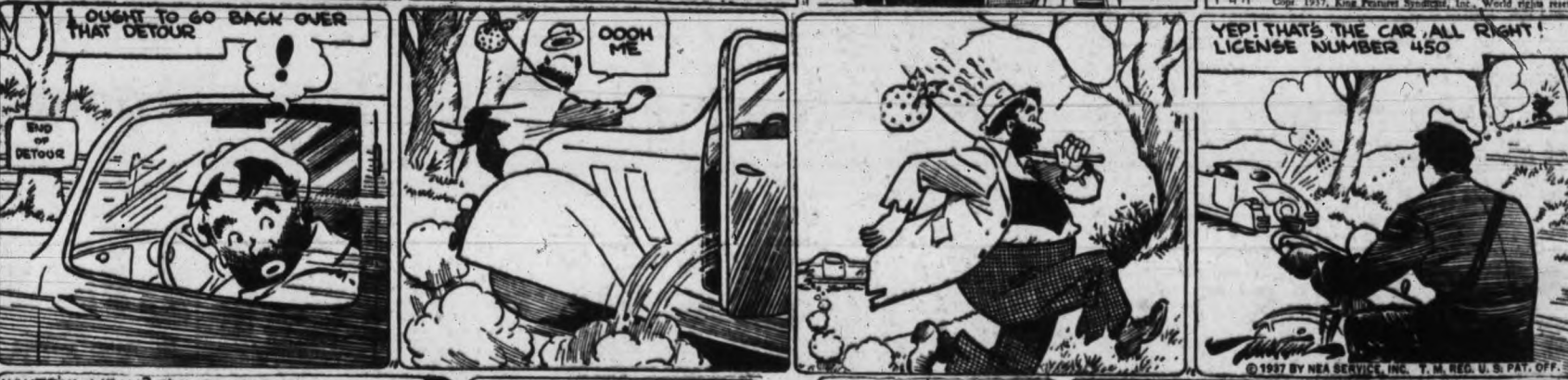
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Bringing Up Father



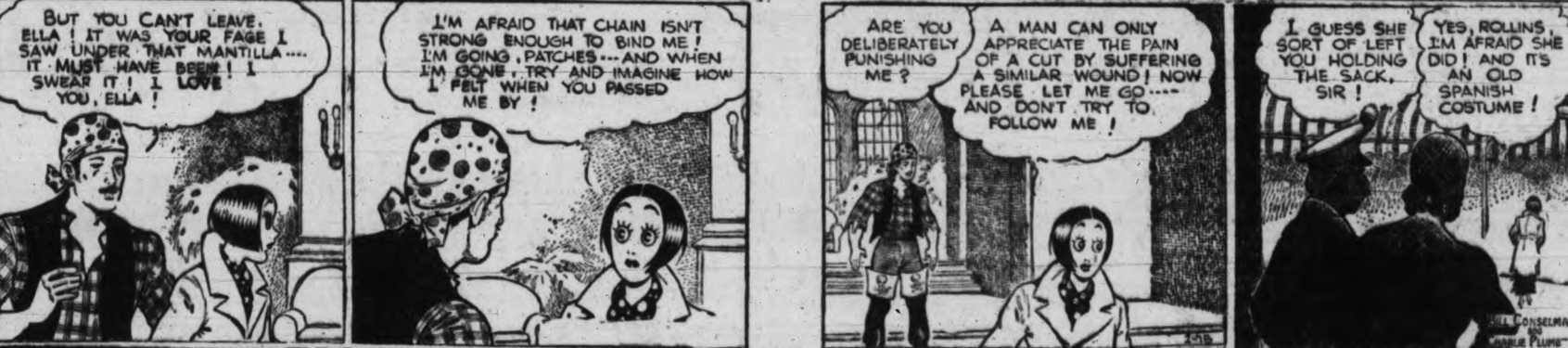
Boots And Her Buddies



Alley Oop



Ella Cinders



The Gumps



Tarzan's Quest



Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR MISS DIX—I am a widow, thirty-four years old, financially independent, with a good job and no children. I am settled in my ways, good-natured and have the home complex, and very fond of children. An old friend of school days, a widower of thirty-eight, has asked me to marry him. He has a nice home and a good business in a small town, and two children, seven and six years old. We are just as romantically in love with each other as if we were boy and girl, but if we marry do you think there will be any chance of happiness for us, or would his children forever stand in our way? I feel that I could very easily fit into their lives, but my friends tell me that I would be making the mistake of my life to give up a good job to be a stepmother. What do you say?



Answer: I think, on the contrary, that you would be throwing away a great chance for happiness by refusing to marry this man and mother his children. Certainly it is a fine thing for a woman to have a job and be self-supporting as you are, but it is a better thing for her to have a tender and loving husband to stand between her and the world, with a home of her own and a man and children to love and care for and make comfortable, instead of just working for herself.

There isn't much fun for a woman in cooking a dinner just for herself alone, or sitting up of an evening in even the most artistic room with nobody to talk to. A woman has to have somebody to "do" for, somebody to fuss over, somebody to whom she is necessary, and that is why even women who haven't very satisfactory husbands are happier married than they would be single.

I grant you that the problem of being a stepmother is one to make even the boldest stop and think, and in a case where the children are in the early teens, when all youngsters are uppity and hard to manage, I should think that none but the toughest would tackle the undertaking. But you case is different. Here the children are young enough to be pliable, and helpless enough to want a mother to love them and pet them and guide them, and it will be easy for you to win their little hearts and take a real mother's place in their lives.

We hear a lot about cruel stepmothers, and no doubt there are women who are harsh and mean and tyrannical and who are so jealous of their husband's love for his children that they try to separate them, but such women are rare. Where there is one mean stepmother there are thousands of good stepmothers, noble and unselfish women who are real mothers to motherless little children, who work and sacrifice for them and whose stepchildren rise up and call them blessed.

As for these two children coming between you and your husband and making trouble, that is in your hands. If you are jealous of them and neglectful of them, and if you make their little lives unhappy, you will alienate your husband from you if he has any decency in him. But if you are good and kind to the children and are a real mother to them, you will draw him closer to you by every tie of affection and gratitude and admiration. The women who adopt children love them as their own. I have never been able to see why a stepmother should not be able to feel the same way about her stepchildren.

DEAR MISS DIX—Can you imagine how agonizing it is to find out when you are eighteen years old that the man and woman whom you have believed to be your father and mother are only foster-parents, and that you are an orphan who doesn't even know his own name? I never dreamed that my parents were not my parents until the other night at a party a supposed-to-be friend brutally and publicly told me I rushed home and asked my parents if this were true, and they admitted it. I have always loved them, as they were as ideal as any parents could be, but this has cut me so deeply that I have lost all faith and confidence in them. I left home very bitter toward them and although mother begged me with tears in her eyes to stay, I don't feel that I ever want to see or hear of them again. I want to go away where nobody has ever heard of me before, because I feel that everybody who knows me is snickering and jeering at me, a poor orphan boy. Don't you think, Miss Dix, that my parents did wrong in not letting me know of this when I was a small boy? BROKEN-HEARTED ORPHAN.

Answer: Yes, I do think that people who adopt children make a great mistake in not telling them about it while they are so young—that the knowledge really means nothing to them. Thus, they grow up accustomed to the idea that a man and woman have fathered and mothered them for love and not because they were wished on them by Nature. And the knowledge is rather pleasing and flattering to them, that saying: "The doctor brought you to your mother and she had to keep you, but my mother hunted round and round until she found just the baby she wanted and that was me."

Of course, the people who adopt children are those who have a great child hunger, and in gratifying this they get an additional happiness by trying to keep it secret that the child is not their own, and flesh of their flesh, but, somehow, the secret can never be kept. Always somebody knows and tells, and when this happens while the child is adolescent it seems to simply wreck it.

They are hurt and they think, as youth always does, that by running away from home they can run away from trouble, just as the boy who writes this letter does. And I wish I could say to them, as I do to him, to go back to the good home and the good father and mother he has left and to try to repay them by his devotion for all they have done for him.

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Uncle Ray's Corner

Weapons of War

Certain inventors have spent a great deal of time working on bombs. They have wanted to find ways to make them more deadly.

Bombs or "hand grenades" were widely used during the World War. They were thrown from trench to trench, and when one landed in the midst of a mass of soldiers it did a great deal of damage.

Other end of the cord was tied to a strap around the soldier's wrist. When the bomb was thrown, it went through the air the length of the cord before the hook was pulled out. The pulling of the hook set off the fuse, and the bomb went on with its journey.

Often the trenches were far apart, but sometimes they were close enough for bombs to be tossed back and forth. Now and then a soldier was able to pick up a bomb thrown by the enemy and hurl it back before it exploded. Still another type of grenade had a cap to make it explode when it struck a solid object.

In some ways airplanes are a blessing to mankind, but they have been used for the fearful work of war. The nations of Europe know that flying machines have great power to destroy, and are building more and more of them. France, Russia, Germany, Italy and Great Britain are said to possess from 8,000 to 7,000 military airplanes apiece, and are racing to add to the number.

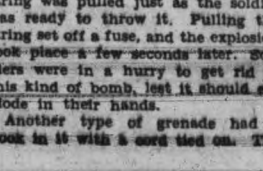
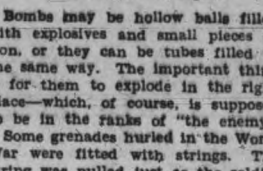
A pitiful picture of the warfare in Spain showed two little Spanish girls, aged about nine and eleven, lying dead in a street of Madrid. They were victims of a bomb dropped on the city from an airplane.

Modern war does not spare women or children or aged men. They may be in their homes, with no wish to fight against anyone, when down comes a bomb loaded with hundreds of pounds of explosive. This fact adds to the reasons why almost all people living today want a peaceful world to live in.

(For history or general interest section of your scrapbook.)

Tomorrow—Shrapnel and Poison Gas

Scottish fishermen have been experimenting with the electrical echosounder as a means of locating shoals of fish.



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SLIDES DELAY TRAINS IN B.C.

C.P.R. Cancels One East-
bound From Vancouver;
Reroutes Westbound

Canadian Press
Vancouver, Feb. 18.—With all lines
blocked by snow and dirt slides in
the southern interior of British Co-
lumbia, Canadian Pacific Railway of-
ficials today cancelled the morning
eastbound transcontinental train, but
hoped to have traffic resumed by
nightfall.

Westbound trains on the Canadian
Pacific line, slide-bound since yester-
day, had been rerouted off the main
line. Train No. 1, due here 10:30 p.m. to-
day, was cancelled and scheduled to
arrive over Canadian National
Railway right-of-way at 5 p.m. today.
No. 3, due here at 9 a.m. today, was
"standing by" at Glacier in the Selkirk
Mountains of eastern British
Columbia.

Railway reports said the Canadian
Pacific line was blocked at four
widely separated points, from North
Bend in the west to Drury in the
Nelson subdivision.

The Canadian National Railway
said all their lines had been cleared
of slides, and that trains east and
west were only one and a half hours
behind schedule.

NELSON ISOLATED

The slide threat, always present
early in the year when mild weather
loosens heavy winter snows in the
mountain regions, struck Nelson, com-
pletely isolating that west Kootenay
city by rail, highway and com-
munication.

RADIO IS USED

Until late last night the interior
city was without communication and
press reports were carried to The
Nelson Daily News from The Canadian
Press office in Vancouver by way of
British Columbia Police wireless.

The Kaslo-Slocan line was tied up
by slides while the Slocan and Arrow
Lakes districts were cut off from their
usual ferry and steamer service with
the lakes frozen over.

Telephone communications through-
out the lower mainland, badly crippled
by a heavy snowfall yesterday
from Vancouver to the Fraser Valley
and across Burrard Inlet in North
and West Vancouver, were partially
restored today, but an overnight
snow threatened more trouble. The
trans-Canada telephone service was
still cut off, paralyzed by slides in
the Okanagan Pass, ninety miles
east of here.

EX-NAVAL MAN CHANGES PLEA

Associated Press
Washington, Feb. 18.—John S.
Farnsworth, former United States
naval officer charged with conspiring
to communicate naval secrets to the
Japanese, asked permission of the
federal district court today to change
his plea to not guilty.

He threw himself on the mercy of
the court last Monday, pleading nolo
contendere—that he would not fight
the charge.

He said today that plea was made
under "enormous pressure," and finally
"on the flip of a coin."

His first plea made some months
ago was "innocence, like his three
sons."

Admiral Iwashita Of Japan Dies

Associated Press
Yokosuka, Japan, Feb. 18.—Vice-
Admiral Yashutaro Iwashita, fifty-
one, chief of staff of the combined
Japanese fleet, who served as a de-
legate to the London Naval Conference,
died today.

In Navajo Indian language a turtle
is "that which is tired," a mule is
"long ears," sugar is "sweet salt,"
and coal is "the rock that burns."

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New French Liner To Make Cal Here

May 4 Set as Date For
Arrival at Victoria of Ss.
Bretagne, Which Will Be
Largest Ship in Europe-
Pacific Coast Service

The French mail liner Bretagne,
largest and finest of the passen-
ger ships connecting Europe ports
with the Pacific, will arrive here
on her maiden voyage May 4 and
spend the entire day in Victoria,
Gilbert Macqueron, Pacific Coast
manager of the French Line, ad-
vised The Times in a special mes-
sage this morning.

The Bretagne, which has been on a
series of trial runs to the Mediter-
ranean, is of 17,000 tons displacement
and has passenger accommodation for
400 persons and carries a crew of
260 members.

All the other ships operating be-
tween Europe and the Pacific Coast
carry both passengers and freight.
The Bretagne will carry freight, of
course, but was primarily built for
passenger service. She has accommo-
dation for both first-class and tour-
ist-class passengers.

From here the new liner will pro-
ceed to Vancouver, which will be the
turning point of the voyage. She is
already heavily booked for her maiden
voyage and expects to reach Plymouth
June 11. She will also call at Le
Havre.

Ports of call on the voyage between
here and Europe will be Curacao, in
the Dutch West Indies, Martinique,
in the French West Indies, Central
America, Panama and San Francisco.

Much interest has been created in
the announcement of the Bretagne's
maiden voyage itinerary. Receptions
are being planned in all the ports of
call and warm welcome will be ex-
tended to this handsome liner.

ISLAND COAL SHOWS GAINS

Output Is 15 Per Cent Up
Last Month Due to Cold
Spell

The output of coal from Vancouver
Island collieries during January was
68,202 tons, a gain of 15 per cent over
the production of January last year,
according to the monthly report of the
chief inspector of mines. The cold
spell had something to do with it.

In other sections of the province
the output was slightly below last
year, or the same, so that total output
for British Columbia was up about
8 per cent to 122,837 tons. In Janu-
ary, 1936, the collieries turned out
113,896 tons. January this year
gained 9,000 tons over December.

The island's two big producers were
Western Fuel Corporation Ltd. No. 1
mine, which put out 24,328 tons, and
the Comox Colliery, 24,343 tons.
Western Fuel's reserve mine produced
14,108 tons.

Seattle to Build Big Fishing Ship

Seattle, Feb. 18.—Lake Washington
Shipyards at Houghton have been
awarded a contract for construction
of an all-steel, all-welded purse seiner,
first of her type, it was learned here
today in an Associated Press message
from San Pedro.

The contract was signed here yester-
day by Paul E. Voisnot, manager of
the shipyards.

The new vessel will be used in tuna
fishing operations off the southern
California coast and will cost \$200,000.
She will have capacity for 300 tons
of brine and fish, a speed of twelve
knots and a cruising radius of 10,000
miles. The delivery date is set for
August 31.

JOINS ASSOCIATION

Chicago, Feb. 18 (Associated Press).
—The Air Transport Association of
America announced yesterday Cana-
dian Airways Ltd. has been voted
membership.

G. A. Thompson, general manager of
Canadian Airways, was named to the
association's operation committee and
T. W. Biers, in charge of the line's
maintenance base at Winnipeg, was
appointed to the maintenance com-
mittee.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE

Close, 1 p.m., February 18, March 4, 18,
via Vancouver.
Close, 1 p.m., February 24, March 18, 18,
via Prince Rupert.
Ti-to to Prince Rupert only. Rose Harbor
to Vancouver only.

ALASKA

Alaska from Seattle, 9 a.m., Saturday,
February 13.
Princess Norah from Vancouver, 9 p.m.,
Monday, February 15.
Northwestern from Seattle, 9 a.m., Sat-
urday, February 20.
Princess Norah from Vancouver, 9 p.m.,
Wednesday, February 24.
Victoria from Seattle, 9 a.m., Saturday,
February 27.
Princess Norah from Vancouver, 9 p.m.,
Friday, March 5.
Alaska from Seattle, 9 a.m., Saturday,
March 6.

Tide Table

The figures for high water to distin-
guish high water from low water. Where
slacks occur in the ebb, the tide rises
or falls continuously during the three
usual tidal periods.

The height of 10 feet and ten inches or
less, measured from the average level of
low water.

A white wall that is tinted or that
becomes dirty, loses its light-reflect-
ing efficiency to a marked degree.

Pilots' Lookout

Helmspey (British), left Port
Alberni, for London, Wednesday, 6
p.m.
Bradford (British), left Vancouver,
7 p.m., Wednesday; arrived Royal
Roads, 3 a.m.; left for Portland, 10
a.m.

Nordnes (Norwegian), passed Victo-
ria, outbound, 8:30 a.m.
Horsager (Norwegian), docked
Ogden Point, from Seattle, Wednesday,
8:20 p.m.; shifted to Rithet pier, 10
a.m.

Lincoln Ellsworth (Norwegian),
passed Victoria, outbound, 7:45 a.m.
Buenos Aires (Swedish), passed
Victoria, bound Vancouver, 8:30 a.m.
Meiwa Maru (Japanese), off Race
Roads, bound Vancouver, 1:30 p.m.

Altoblar-Mendi (Spanish), to
leave Crofton, for sea, 4 p.m.
Noumea (Panamanian), to leave
Esquimalt Harbor, for South Seas
Thursday p.m.

Canada (Danish), due Victoria,
from Europe, 4 p.m.
Loch Lomond (British), due Victo-
ria, for lumber, Friday a.m.

Borgstad (Norwegian), due Victo-
ria, for lumber, Saturday a.m.
Empress of Canada (British), to
sail from Victoria, for Honolulu and
Orient ports, Saturday p.m.

Arola-Mendi (Spanish), due Victo-
ria, for lumber, Monday a.m.
Bronny (Norwegian), due Cowi-
chan Bay, for lumber, Monday a.m.

CREW FIGHTS FIRE ON TUG

Coastguard Cutters Race to
Aid of Arthur Foss at
Discovery Bay

Associated Press
Seattle, Feb. 18.—The coastguard
patrol boat Albatross wireless head-
quarters here today that fire aboard
the Seattle tug Arthur Foss was under
control after the Albatross and Pom
tug No. 14 had poured streams of
water into the burning craft for nearly
an hour at Discovery Bay, near Port
Townsend.

Two United States coastguard cut-
ters raced early today to Discovery
Bay, forty miles northwest of here, to
help the crew of the tug Arthur Foss
battle a raging oil fire in its engine-
room.

The tug called for immediate assist-
ance at 4:30 a.m., saying the crew had
used up all the fire extinguishers and
that the blaze was beyond control.

Coastguardmen were warned to
bring gas masks to enter the engine-
room.

The cutter Albatross went from Se-
attle and the cutter Redwing from
Clallam Bay, on the Strait of Juan de
Fuca near the Pacific Ocean.

The tug is owned by J. Foss
Launch and Tug Company, Tacoma.

Fisheries Expert Off to Australia

Dr. Harold Thompson, recently
appointed director of Fisheries Re-
search for the National Research
Council of Australia, was among the
passengers who sailed from Victoria
yesterday evening by the liner Ni-
gara for Sydney, via Honolulu, Suva
and Auckland.

On Tuesday Dr. Thompson was a
visitor to the Federal Government's
biological station at Departure, near
Nanaimo. He was much impressed
with the operations there, and said
he had learned much by his brief
visit.

For the last five years Dr. Thomp-
son has been Director of Fisheries
Research for the Newfoundland Gov-
ernment, with headquarters at St.
Johns.

MAILS

BRITISH
Close, 4 p.m., February 18, via Queen
Mary via New York.
Close, 9 p.m., February 21, via Duchess
of York.
Close, 4 p.m., February 21, via Europa
via New York.

Mail intended for transmission via New
York must be so marked. When sent by
air over United States lines, mail may be
sent three days later than the dates
indicated. Two days later for Canadian
steamers.

WEST INDIES GENERALLY

Close, 1 p.m., February 19.
Close, 1 p.m., February 19, 21.
Close, 1 p.m., February 19, 21.
Close, 1 p.m., February 19, 21.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

Close, 11:15 p.m., February 27, Mariposa
via San Francisco; due Auckland, March
19; Sydney, March 22.
Close, 11:15 p.m., February 27, Asarangi; due
Auckland, April 2; Sydney, April 10.

HONOLULU

Close, 4 p.m., February 17, via Niagara.
Close, 4 p.m., February 20, via Empress
of Canada.

CHINA AND JAPAN

Close, 4 p.m., February 19, President Mc-
Kerley; due Yokohama, February 22;
Shanghai, March 2; Hongkong, March 5.
Close, 4 p.m., February 20, Empress of
Canada; due Yokohama, March 6; Shang-
hai, March 9; Hongkong, March 12.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE

Close, 1 p.m., February 18, March 4, 18,
via Vancouver.
Close, 1 p.m., February 24, March 18, 18,
via Prince Rupert.
Ti-to to Prince Rupert only. Rose Harbor
to Vancouver only.

ALASKA

Alaska from Seattle, 9 a.m., Saturday,
February 13.
Princess Norah from Vancouver, 9 p.m.,
Monday, February 15.
Northwestern from Seattle, 9 a.m., Sat-
urday, February 20.
Princess Norah from Vancouver, 9 p.m.,
Wednesday, February 24.
Victoria from Seattle, 9 a.m., Saturday,
February 27.
Princess Norah from Vancouver, 9 p.m.,
Friday, March 5.
Alaska from Seattle, 9 a.m., Saturday,
March 6.

Ocean Storms Keep Vessels In Shelter

Estevan Still Waiting at
Banfield For Storm to
Abate; Princess Maquinna
Behind Time as She
Dodges Big Seas

The west coast of Vancouver
Island, always a wicked place for
ships in the winter time, has been
a little worse than usual these
last few days and ships have been
stormbound in the sheltered bays
and inlets that abound there.

The Dominion Government light-
house tender Estevan has been wait-
ing in Barkley Sound, anchored off
Banfield, for several days, while a
great storm rages outside, making
navigation difficult.

But it is not the storms that are
keeping the Estevan idle. She is a
staunch vessel and her captain and
officers are skilled in the moods of
the sea. It is because she has supplies
for the lightkeeper at Pacheña Point
and is unable to discharge them in
the big seas for weeks, that she is
favorable weather conditions at Ban-
field. It is necessary for the Estevan
to anchor offshore and transfer the
supplies by tender.

RUNNING LATE
The passenger steamer Princess Ma-
quinna, veteran of the west coast
route, always comes through in every
kind of weather, but sometimes she
stays inside when a particularly bad
storm is raging on the open ocean.

She is now stormbound to Victoria,
running a day behind schedule be-
cause of severe weather. Yesterday
afternoon she was at Ahousat and
this morning reached Nootka. It will
be early tomorrow afternoon before
she reaches Victoria.

The tugboats Cape Scott and Pacific
Monarch were weather-bound at west
coast points for weeks. Bad managed
to reach Victoria and Vancouver
during last week's lull in the storms.

They both were towing great booms
of logs, which would have broken
loose in the big seas. They spent days
in Nootka Sound and Barkley Sound
on their way south.

All small boats have taken shelter
in the bays and inlets along the coast
and will remain there, snug and
sound, until the seas and the winds
moderate.

Meanwhile, H.M.C.S. Armentieres
and the lifeboat at Banfield wait in
readiness should a call be sent out
for help by some fisherman or other
boat in distress in the big seas. This
year, however, has been remarkably
free from marine mishaps along the
"graveyard of the Pacific."

INVESTIGATE SHIP CRASH

Inspectors Will Hear How
Feltre and Edward Lucken-
bach Collided in Columbia

Associated Press
Portland, Feb. 18.—Maritime in-
spectors moved onto the scene today
to investigate the collision which
sent the Italian motorship Feltre
to the bottom of the murky Colum-
bia River in a terrific rain and wind
storm off Prescott yesterday.

The big American freighter Edward
Luckenbach, the other vessel involved
in the jarring crash early yesterday,
put into the Portland Harbor under
her own power later in the day. She
was tied up to unload her general
cargo in preparation for repairs to
her raved-in bow.

Estimates of the losses may not be
available until the investigation is
completed. The Feltre is valued at
about \$1,000,000.

A diver will inspect the Feltre's
damage. The vessel rests about 15
yards off shore. Her deck is awash.
She probably could be raised without
much difficulty.

Coastwise Sailings

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER
Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria for
Vancouver daily at 1:30 p.m.; arrives Van-
couver 4:30 p.m.
Princess Alice leaves Vancouver daily
for Victoria at 1:30 p.m.; arrives Victoria
4:30 p.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE
St. Tropez leaves Seattle daily at mid-
night; arrives Victoria 8:30 a.m.; leaves
Victoria 9 a.m.; arrives Seattle 5 p.m.
Princess Alice leaves Victoria daily
for Seattle at 1:30 p.m.; arrives Seattle
4:30 p.m.

VICTORIA-FORT ANGELES
St. Tropez leaves Port Angeles 7 a.m.;
arrives Victoria 8:30 a.m.; leaves Victoria
9 a.m.; arrives Port Angeles 10:35 a.m.

WEST COAST SERVICE
Princess Maquinna sails from Victoria
11 p.m. on first, eleventh and twenty-first
of each month, for ports as far north as
Port Alice.

SIDNEY-ANACORTES
Roanoke leaves Sidney 2 p.m. daily;
arrives Anacortes 6:30 p.m.; leaves An-
acortes 8:40 a.m.; arrives Sidney 1:15 p.m.
Makes connections at Lopez for Chukanut
Drive.

SALT SPRING ISLAND
Ms. Cy. Peak leaves Swartz Bay daily
except Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.;
leaves Fulford Harbor daily except Wed-
nesday at 8:15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Sunrise and Sunset

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific
standard time) at Victoria, B.C. for the
month of February, 1937.

Day Sunrise Sunset
1 7:10 5:30
2 7:09 5:29
3 7:08 5:28
4 7:07 5:27
5 7:06 5:26
6 7:05 5:25
7 7:04 5:24
8 7:03 5:23
9 7:02 5:22
10 7:01 5:21
11 7:00 5:20
12 6:59 5:19
13 6:58 5:18
14 6:57 5:17
15 6:56 5:16
16 6:55 5:15
17 6:54 5:14
18 6:53 5:13
19 6:52 5:12
20 6:51 5:11
21 6:50 5:10
22 6:49 5:09
23 6:48 5:08
24 6:47 5:07
25 6:46 5:06
26 6:45 5:05
27 6:44 5:04
28 6:43 5:03
29 6:42 5:02
30 6:41 5:01

Window glass first appeared in the
third century B.C.

Spoken By Wireless

February 17, 8 p.m.—Shipping:
PRINCESS MAQUINNA, at Ahousat,
bound Victoria, 9 p.m.
NAGARA, Victoria to Honolulu, 14
miles from Victoria.
HIKAWA MARU, Yokohama to Van-
couver, 697 miles from Vancouver.
PRESIDENT MCKINLEY, Victoria to
Yokohama, 1,707 miles from Victoria.

February 18, 12 noon.—Weather:
Raven—Cloudy; east, light; 29.76; 31;
sea, heavy swell.
Pachena Point—Snow; light, north; 29.78;
32; sea, heavy swell.
Point Grey—Part cloudy; southwest;
29.80; 35; sea, large swell.
strong; 29.84; 34; sea, rough.
Cape Lazo—Part cloudy; west, light;
29.85; 26; sea, light westerly swell.

SEALS START ANNUAL TREK

Vanguard Appears Off
Washington Coast on Way
to Pribilof Islands

Associated Press
Seattle, Feb. 18.—About 500 of
Uncle Sam's glossy-furred wards,
guard of 1,500,000 commuting seals,
appeared off the Washington coast
yesterday, offshore vessels reported,
and the United States coastguard
announced its escort would start next
month. Canada will probably assist
with H.M.C.S. Armentieres from Es-
quimalt.

Com. M. J. Ryan, chief of staff of
the coastguard division, said five
cutters had been assigned to escort
the big herds next month to their
breeding grounds in the Pribilof
Islands in the Bering Sea.

Com. Ryan said he had never found
anyone deliberately killing seals dur-
ing his thirty years with the patrol.
"If poachers did steal the skins,
they couldn't sell them in the United
States. Every sealskin is registered by
the government and bears a govern-
ment stamp."

In June, members of the field staff
of the Pribilof Fur Company of St.
Louis will establish headquarters in
the Pribilofs and take charge of
culling and processing between 50,000
and 60,000 sealskins—about 90 per
cent of the world's supply.

The St. Louis company has sole
rights to the dressing and dyeing of
the Alaska catch.

Calgary, Feb. 18.—A Lethbridge-
bound passenger train was delayed
nine hours by huge snowdrifts block-
ing the Canadian Pacific Railway's
branch line three miles south of
Aldersyde, thirty miles south of Cal-
gary. The train, scheduled to arrive
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TRAIN DELAYED

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MOONRISE, MOONSET

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific
standard time) at Victoria, B.C. for the
month of February, 1937.

Day Rise Set
18 10:52 a.m. 2:10 a.m.
19 11:49 a.m. 1:14 a.m.
20 12:54 p.m. 4:10 a.m.
21 1:56 p.m. 5:54 a.m.
22 2:58 p.m. 8:30 a.m.
23 3:51 p.m. 11:59 a.m.
24 4:42 p.m. 2:51 a.m.
25 5:31 p.m. 6:45 a.m.
26 6:18 p.m. 1:06 a.m.
27 7:05 p.m. 7:27 a.m.
28 7:51 p.m. 1:48 a.m.

NAVY LEAGUE WILL GATHER

Annual Meeting of Branch
in Victoria Planned For
Next Wednesday

Arrangements have been made to
hold the annual meeting of the Vic-
toria and Island branch of the Navy
League in Canada next Wednesday
evening at 8 o'clock in the clubrooms
of the Naval Veterans' branch, Cana-
dian Legion, at the corner of Johnson
and Broad Streets.

The election of officers for the com-
ing year will take place and an-
nual reports will be read. In the
absence of Col. F. A. Lindsay, president,
who is en route, via Panama Canal
to England, the chair will be taken
by Com. C. H. R. Singsby, vice-
president.

Present members of the executive
are Lieut.-Gov. Hamber, Com. C. T.
Beard, Capt. R. W. McMurray, Col.
Lindsay, Com. Singsby, E. Bromham,
Capt. J. A. Phillips, Capt. George
Kirkendale, Thomas